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JACKSON VS. THOMSON

Important Sullivan County Suit Has Been Determined.

THE VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFFS.

Action of Ejectment for Coal Lands Formerly Belonging to the Jackson Estate Result in a Verdict of Over $24,000—Lessee Exonerated.

The following statement of the Jackson vs. Thomson and Gunton suit, tried last week in Laporte, is made by one of the attorneys for the plaintiff:

W. W. Jackson and others, the heirs-at-law of George D. Jackson, deceased, a former resident of the borough of Dushore, Sullivan county, recovered on Thursday last a verdict in ejectment against Rush J. Thomson, a practicing attorney of Sullivan county living at Dushore, for an undivided interest in the 102 acres of coal lands located in Cherry township, Sullivan county, which verdict included the value of the coal taken out of said lands by Walter B. Gunton under a mine lease with said Thomson.

George D. Jackson died in 1879, possessed of interests in various valuable timber and coal lands in Sullivan county. By this will he appointed his wife, Bernice W., and his son, George C. Jackson, as his executors, giving them power to make sale of his real estate. Rush J. Thomson, Esq., one of the defendants in the action, is the son of a sister of George D. Jackson. He has resided for many years in the borough of Dushore and was one of the attorneys of the estate of George D. Jackson, as well as the personal attorney of the executors. Thomson was also director of the Citizens' National bank at Towanda. In the year 1897 George C. Jackson, on account of various unsuccessful business enterprises, became financially embarrassed. There were claims against him in the hands of the sheriff for considerable amount, and he was also indebted to the Citizens National bank of Towanda, in the sum of $4,500 on notes endorsed by his mother, Bernice W. Jackson. In order to secure the bank upon these notes and to obtain from them an additional $3,600 with which to meet the most pressing claims against him, George C. Jackson and his mother offered to convey to Rush J. Thomson, as trustee for the bank, various interests held by them in valuable timber lands located in Cherry township, Sullivan county. The bank refused to accept a conveyance of these lands unless they were made to Rush J. Thomson absolutely and were accompanied by a conveyance from Bernice W. and George C. Jackson, as executors of the estate of George D. Jackson, to the said Rush J. Thomson absolutely of the undivided one-third interest of the estate of George D. Jackson in the 102 acres of valuable coal lands which was the subject of the present action in ejectment. This conveyance, the executors of the George D. Jackson had no power to make for the purpose of securing the payment of their own individual debts, but under the stress of circumstances they were finally constrained to make the conveyance demanded by the bank in order to save themselves from financial ruin.

Acordingly, on the 9th day of July, 1897, they executed to Rush J Thomson absolutely four deeds for undivided interests in valuable timber and coal lands in Sullivan county. The deeds having been executed and delivered to Thomson, he immediately took possession of the lands thereby conveyed and proceeded to strip the same of timber bark, realizing a profit from the same of over $25,000, out of which he paid to the Citizens' National bank of Towanda, the $8,100 due from Bernice W. and George C. Jackson individually and some other claims against him, making the total amount expended by him on their account about $14,000

In 1898 Thomson, in conjunction with the other owners of the 102 acres of coal land, in which the estate of George D. Jackson had owned a one-third interest, leased the same to Walter B. Gunton for a term of ten years, with the privileges of taking out the coal at a royalty of 25 cents a ton. Between the years of 1898 and 1905, Walter B. Gunton mined and sold from this tract of land, about 350,000 tons of coal, upon which he had made a net profit of about $250,000. Upon the 350,000 tons of coal taken out by him, he had paid to Rush J. Thomson about $22,000 as royalties.

In 1899 the heirs of George D. Jackson began legal proceedings against Rush J. Thomson and the Citizens' National bank of Towanda, to recover the property of which the estate had been deprived by the deeds of 1897. The case was taken several times to the superior court and reversed for various technical reasons, first in favor of one side and then in favor of the other. Finally, in 1902, the present ejectment was brought against Thomson and Gunton, the heirs alleging that the conveyance made by the executors to Thomson was ultra vires, and had been obtained by Thomson by reason of a confidential relation existing between himself and the executors.

The trial of the case began on Monday, Oct. 29, and after having been conducted for five days was continued for a week on account of the intervening election. The trial was resumed on Monday, Nov. 12, and proceeded for four days longer, the jury bringing in a verdict on Thursday night. The jury was directed by the court to find a verdict in favor of the defendant Gunton, he being an innocent lessee for value. The jury found a verdict for $24,055.35 against the defendant Rush J. Thomson.

The defendants were represented by I. McPherson, Esq., and Rodney A. Mercur, Esq., of Towanda; James W. Piatt, Esq., of Tunkhannock; Albert F. Hess, Esq., of Laporte. The interests of the plaintiffs were looked after by Alphonsus Walsh, Esq., Dushore; E. J. Mullen, Esq., Laporte, and Seth T. McCormick, Esq., Seth T. McCormick, Jr., Esq., and R. K. Foster, Esq., of Williamsport.

CANTON YOUNG MAN CRUSHED BY RAILS.

Car Load of Heavy Rails Falls Upon Luther Ogden.

Luther Ogden, son of Edward Ogden, of Canton, who has been working at Cedar Ledge, Pa., for the construction company building the P., B. and E. railroad, was badly injured by being caught between two cars of rails at Cedar Ledge Wednesday Nov. 14. The car of rails was being moved down the track. The brake failed to work and it crashed into another loaded car and Ogden was caught between the sliding rails and was held in that position for three-quarters of an hour, suffering terribly. It was at first thought he would lose both limbs, but later it was stated that one of the limbs was broken near the knee and the calf of the legs were crushed in a very serious manner. The injured man is about 22 years old.

P., B. and E. Victim Dead.

Luther Ogden, who was fatally crushed by being caught between two cars of skidding rails at Cedar Ledge, Pa., near Canton, Wednesday morning, died Thursday evening at 11 o'clock at the residence of his father, where he had been taken. He leaves a father, mother, one brother and one sister.

NEW LEHIGH TIME CARD.

Trains Affected by New Time Table of Sunday, November 18.

The time of trains stopping at Towanda according to the new time schedule which took effect at 12:01 Sunday morning will be: Going West, No. 3 at 1:28 a. m., same as formerly; No. 5 at 3:19 a. m., eight minutes later; No. 157, the newspaper train, at 10:20 a. m., same; No. 1 at 2:59 p. m., is three minutes earlier; No. 7 at 4:43 p. m., six minutes earlier; No. 127 at 7:32 p. m., six minutes later.

Going East, No. 2 at 2:58 a. m., three minutes earlier; No. 122 at 7:25 a. m., five minutes later; No. 8 at 9:20 a. m., five minutes later; No. 4 at 1:12 p. m., same; No. 10, Black Diamond Express, at 3:32, five minutes earlier; No. 146 at 5:24 p. m., two minutes later.

The Susquehanna and New York Sunday train leaving Towanda at 10:32 a. m., and returning at 2:58 2:58 p. m., was discontiued Sunday.

Historical Society This Week.

The November monthly meeting of the Historical society of Bradford county, will be held Saturday, Nov. 24, at 2 p. m., at the rooms of the society. After the regular business the meeting will be given up to the subject of Standing Stone township. These subjects have all been assigned to persons who are competent to give valuable historic information in relation to same. Several old residents are expected to give their recollections of early times in the township. Members of the society and residents of Standing stone will be specially interested in this meeting, as it promises to be one of the best for township meetings yet held. Everybody is invited and the meeting is open to the public.

Should Keep Farther Away.

John Kline, Jr., found by sad experience that when a fight is in progress it is not always safe to loiter even afar off to watch for the outcome. Standing at what he thought a safe distance Saturday night when the Italians were fighting near the Arcade, a stone thrown by one of the belligerents struck Kline in the ankle with such force that it laid him up for repairs, inflicting a painful bruise.

Lehigh Officials Here.

A special Lehigh Valley train, drawn by the Lehigh's famous engine, No. 2, and consisting of private cars, in which rode a number of the officials of the road, passed through Towanda Tuesday afternoon, and an inspection of the large construction work being done here was made.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

News of a Week Gathered at the County Court House.

GRAND JURY MAKES REPORT.

New Trial is Asked in the Overton Grange Case — District Attorney Mills Introduces District Attorney's Bills—Orphans' Court Business.

The grand jury made its first partial report Tuesday, and several important matters were disposed of by the court.

George Wilson Discharged.

In the case of the Commonwelath against George Wilson, charged with larceny, the defendant entered a plea of guilty, and sentence was suspended. Wilson is a cripple, and there were several extenuating circumstances in his case.

First True Bills.

The first report from the grand jury, made Tuesday morning, showed true bills found against Patsey Munn, charged with selling liquor without a license, and against Mary Victoria, alias "Big Mary," who was charged with the same offense.

More of Overton Case.

Papers were filed Monday by Attorneys S. H. Smith and J. C. Ingham for Joseph Francke, in the case of the Commonwealth against D. F. O'Brien, Joseph Heverly, Isaac Bailey and J. E. Dieffenbaugh, asking for a new trial. This is what has been spoken of as the "Overton case;" in their petition, Messrs. Smith and Ingham state not less than nine reasons why the new trial should be granted, and Judge Fanning has granted a rule to retry the suit.

The first two days' labor on the part of the grand jury resulted in the reporting late Tuesday afternoon of nearly 30 cases to Judge Fanning. Of tnese the following were

True Bills.

Ralph Whitmiller, aggravated assault and battery; William Trowbridge, assault and battery with intent to kill; aggravated assault and battery, and simple assault and battery; John Doe, alias Patsey Mann, carrying concealed weapons; Frank W. Delaney, larceny; Lyman and Henry Heeman, burglary; Lyman and Henry Heeman, burglary and larceny; Stephen Danton, pointing firearms; Thomas Holmes, assault and battery; John Teeters, assault and battery; C. H. Casselberry, desertion; Jack, alias John McCarthy, aggravated assault and simple assault; Husta H. Cowan, desertion; Lyman, Lottie and Henry Heeman, larceny and receiving.

The following are found to be

Not True Bills.

Hercy Vanderpool, assault and battery, costs placed on prosecutor, J. W. Justin; Hercy and Dorsey Vanderpool, burglary; Patsey Mann, robbery, assault and battery and pointing a weapon; Lyman and Lottie Heeman, larceny and receiving; Philip Kipp, two transcripts, larceny and receiving; James Smith, larceny and receiving; Joseph Cooper, burglary; Herman Owen, aggravated assault and battery; costs put upon the prosecutor, Frank Wilson; Maggie Vincent, two transcripts, adultry.

New Point of Law.

District Attorney Charles Mills introduced a new legal move for this county, when he laid before the grand jury two transcipts in the cases of Mann and Danton, charges being made without the arrest of the offenders. These are called district attorney's bills, and are made acording to the old common law.

Grand Jurors.

The grand jury is made up as following:

Halliday Allis, Wysox township; Ernest Barnes, Orwell; Fred Blackwell, West Burlington; Ed. S. Brink, LeRaysville; Orlando Campbell, Litchfield; Orrin Clafflin, Athens; Richard Drislane, Sayre; Michael Gorman, Sayre; Hugh Hogan, Towanda; William Holland, Troy; Ed. V. Hunt, Wyalusing; Richard D. Manley, Troy; George L. Newton, New Albany; Grant Parks, Athens; C. F. Rodgers, Athens; George Rightmire, Ridgebury; William Simpson, Towanda; B. S. Snell, Athens; William H. Tompkins, Sheshequin; A. P. Weldy, Burlington; John Walt, Sayre; William Westbrook, Athens; Frank Wood, Wysox; William Yerkes, Springfield.

Orphans' Court Business.

Estate of Luella Arnold Spencer, discharge of Charles M. Culver, guardian. Estate of Hiram Potter, order to pay $119.81 into court. Estate Reuben Stiles, order to pay $27.95 into court. Estate of Harry A. Sackett, discharge of Anna Sackett, guardian. Estate of Robert Clark, discharge of W. B. Hoff, administrator. Estate of Reuben Stiles, discharge of W. B. Huff, administrator. Estate of Howard C. Bullock, order to mortgage lands.

Subpoenas in divorce are awarded to Katherine Munn vs. her husband, Winsell Munn.

In the matter of John H. Whitman against the First National bank of Canton, Judge Fanning Monday discharged rule for judgment for want of a sufficient affidavit of defence.

BEING SCHOOL DIRECTOR BECOMING SERIOUS MATTER.

Members of Board Are Haled to Court By Irate Parents.

During the present term of court, there appears on the calendar a case in reference to the petition for removal of the school directors of Wells township, according to a rule upon the members of the board requiring them to appear and show cause why they should not be removed from office, their seats declared vacant and other directors appointed in their places. The petition was filed some days ago.

The reasons for the bringing of the directors into court, as has been explained in this newspaper, is their failure to keep open a school house, which in their judgment, should be and therefor was, closed. The suit is one that is arousing considerable comment in Wells township, and the story appears to have two sides, emphatically.

In Columbia county, a similar state of affairs exists in one of the townships, and Judge Evans has granted a rule to show cause why Michael Dixon, John Monroe, Patrick Kane, Frank Snyder, Anthony McAndrews, and Richard Cain, school directors of Conyngham township, should not be removed from office.

The petiton sets forth that the directors have failed to put the schools of the district in operation; to hold meetings as required by law; to elect a teacher for one of the schools of Aristes; to make application to the state department for the district's share of the state appropriation, and to pay any of the teachers their salaries.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL.

Outline of the Work Acomplished by the County Society.

Number one of the Annual of the Bradford County Historical society has just been issued, giving an outline of the work accomplished, papers on local history read before the society and a condensed history of the county and early marriages. The price is 50 cents.

Only a part of the large amount of material gathered in the four years since the reorganization of the society could be used, but the book, which contains 1308 pages, forms a very valuable compilation of facts relating to the early history of the county, not the least valuable being many questions and answers relating to Bradford county.

Among the papers printed are "Friedenshutten," the Indian town at Wyalusing, by J. W. Ingham; "Indian Paths or Trails in Bradford County," by J. Andrew Wilt; "Pike in Early Times," by John W. Codding, Esq.; "The Warren Pioneers," by H. B. Iveson; "The McKean Family," by C. F. Heverly; "David Wilmot," by Hon. E. Reed Myer, and "Julia Kinney Scott," by Miss Ida K. Layton.

SONS OF VETERANS.

Will Hold Big Camp at Scranton Next June.

To arouse interest in the State convention of the Sons of Veterans, which is to be held in Scranton some time next June, Charles Charters of Harrisburg, personal representative of E. M. Amies of Altoona, commander-in-chief of the Sons of Veterans of the United States, attended a meeting Wednesday evening of Camp No. 8 of Scranton, and gave a talk on the proposed plans of the State convention.

It is expected there will be 5,000 representatives of the order present at this convention and several regiments of the order will be encamped in military style on one of the hills surrounding the city. Mr. Charters is traveling about the different camps, creating enthusiasm for the State encampment, which is expected to be a big thing in Sons of Veterans circles.

Was a Witness.

Constable McCracken went to Owego on Tuesday to act as a witness against the Heeman brothers who were before the grand jury of Tioga county, N. Y. The brothers are expected to enter pleas of guilty to the charge of burglary, and thus escape from several other charges that can be made against them, and no one in Towanda will seriously object if Judge Mead imposes a good stiff sentence; the Heemans are of the class to whom it seems to be the part of mercy and wisdom to keep confined and at some profitable employment.

$82,000,000 Increase.

The railroads of the entire country stand ready to accept the standard of wages set by the Pennsylvania and to grant their employes an increase of 10 per cent. in lieu of all other demands. The "melon," which the railroads are willing to divide among more than 1,200,000 employes would aggregate about $82,000,000.

Buyers read the Reporter-Journal

GREAT LEHIGH WORK.

Hundreds of Thousands of Dollars Being Spent for Betterments.

A BIG JOB AT ALLENTOWN.

Work There Overshadows the Improvements Being Made at Towanda—To Have Four Tracks from Slatington to Easton.

The extensive construction work that the Lehigh Valley road has in hand at this point, where a sharp curve is being eliminated and a long and heavy four-track bridge being constructed, is exceeded by the improvments being made at Allentown, where the company now has a great force at work extending its four-track system through that city and straightening out the curve in the shape of the letter "S" below there.

To eliminate this curve the enormous cinder pile of the Ameyville furnaces is being removed. Altogether it is 80 by 1,000 feet in dimensions and about 50 feet high. Two steam shovels are tearing out the cinder and loading it as fast as removed on flat cars. It is used for filling-in purposes at other places along the line. All along the mountain as far as Geisinger's the mountain side is being blasted and torn away to provide the road-bed for one track, and on the other side filling in is being done for the fourth track.

With the completion of the work between East Penn Junction and Bethlehem along the moutain and of the big oprations around Bethlehem the Lehigh Valley will practically have a four-track line from Easton to Slatington.

Six freight-handlers took care of the business a year ago at Allentown. Today 14 men have their hands full. The business for October this year in outbound freights showed an increase of more than 10 per cent. over the business of October, 1905. Fifteen hundred more cars of freight were handled in that time.

Similar conditons in proportion exist on the system at this point and at Sayre the division terminal. Freight and passenger business, according to official reports, shows a tremendous and almost unaccountable increase.

FIRST BRIDGE GIRDER HERE.

60-Ton Piece of Steel One of Many in New Bridge.

The first of the big girders for the new Lehigh bridge across the Susquehanna river arrived here Friday and will be stored for several weeks at the North Towanda yard. The girder has been described heretofore in The Review, but its size must be seen to be appreciated. Weighing 60 tons and being almost 130 feet in length, it required no less than five flat cars to transport the great steel bulk from the Phoenixville plant of the American Bridge company, where these girders are being manufactured for the Lehigh Valley company.

Some idea of the weight that will rest upon the 13 concrete piers put up by the Mutchlers may be gained by the knowledge that the bridge will be a double track structure and will require 56 girders like the one now here. At 60 tons each, the weight of the girders reaches the enormous total of 3,360 tons. It will be probably six weeks before the work of swinging the girders into place on the mammoth cranes, will commence.

CANTON HUNTER LOSES A FOOT.

Charles Decker Victim of Unfortunate Accident—Shot by Son.

While out hunting rabbits Thursday morning, Charles Decker, a Canton blacksmith, met with an accident which will cost him the loss of his right foot, the member being amputated later in the day.

His son, who has been a sailor in the United States navy for the past three years, had just returned home and the two started out hunting early; their dog had chased a rabbit under a brush pile. Mr. Decker, Sr., was on the top of the pile trying to scare bunny out and just as he came out his son shot at the rabbit, but hit his father in the ankle, tearing the bone and flesh in a terrible manner and necessitating an operation.

Scholarly Lecture by Dr. Stewart.

The lecture given by Dr. Stewart in the parlors of the chapel of the Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon was listened to by about 50 club women of Towanda and thoroughly enjoyed. The subject of the lecture was "The Early Italian Poets" and considered Dante, the well recognized first Christian poet and Petrarch, the first modern poet. Dr. Stewart never disappoints his hearers in an effort of this kind; always fair to his subject, he pleases and never antagonizes his audience.

Want-ads bring results.

PERSISTENT RUMORS ANNOY SCIENTISTS.

Followers of Faith Make Public Denial of Newspaper Articles.

In view of the recent discussion aroused by several of the big New York newspapers as to the real condition of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, head of the Christian Science faith, letters from representatives of the different sides of the controversy are beginning to appear in print in various parts of the country.

Alfred Farlow of Boston, writing to the Binghamton Herald, states his opinion on the subject in a way that will interest many persons in Towanda. Mr. Farlow says in part:

"Recent press dispatches have intimated that Christian Scientists were disturbed by the alleged disclosures of the New York World, and it has been stated that 'radical changes' would be made in the 'management' of the Christian Science Church, as a consequence. It was also asserted that there were factions quarreling over the leadership and that Mrs. Leonard 'is eventually to become the figurative head of the church,' and more to the same effect.

"Amusement struggles with compassion in the minds of Christian Scientists who read these sensational and wholly groundless reports. There is not a vestige of truth in one of them. In the first place Mrs. Eddy is not failing. She is more than ever competent to direct the cause of Christian Science. Christian Scientists know this very well and they do not seek another leader.

Won't Have Any Changes.

"No radical changes are contemplated; none are demanded. There are no factions in the Christian Science Church striving for the domination of the movement. Mrs. Eddy will not be succeeded by Mrs. Leonard or by any other woman. Her book "Science and Health," will continue to lead humanity up to God, as it has done for 40 years. Mrs. Eddy has said that she will not be succeeded by any person, and Christian Scientists understand her. For that reason, there are no 'cabinets' no 'machines' in Christian Science, though a state of mind which believes in the necessity of advantage of such vehicles might, perhaps naturally, imagine that Christian Science was operated on the same plan."

Change in L. V. Agents.

Arthur O'Brien, who has been station agent at Laceyville for several years, has resigned the position to accept a better one at Hattiesburg, Miss. He did his work exceptionally well and the officials and patrons of the road are sorry to see him leave, and wish him well in his new field of labor. W. H. Dixon, agent at Ulster for some years, has been promoted to the agency at Laceyville. He comes well recommended and business at the station will go on as nicely as before.—Messenger.

FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Occurring in Many Towns Hereabouts.

SAYRE HOSPITAL IN NEED.

N. B. Overton of Wyalusing, Sold His Store Last Week and Went to Montana—Tribe of Pocahontas to be Organized at Tioga.

Scranton had over six inches of snow on Thursday.

A wild turkey, exhausted by a long flight, alighted in a street at Milton and was captured by W. H. Harris.

The deer season in New York state, which closed on Friday last, was said to have been a disappointing one to hunters.

Hon. O. D. Kinney left Athens on Monday to go to Duluth, called there by the serious illness of his brother-in-law.

More than 3,500 Philadelphia teachers have agreed to subscribe a percentage of their salaries to the teachers' retirement fund.

A case of smallpox was reported to the Dunmore authorities, but when it was investigated it turned out to be simply a bad case of chickenpox.

An effort is being made to organize a tribe of Pocahontas in Tioga, an auxiliary of the Red Men and similar to the Rebekahs of the Odd Fellows.

Dr. C. H. Ott, of the Packer hospital, appeared before the State Board of Charities at Harrisburg last week to urge upon that body the great need of the institution he represents.

Last week N. B. Overton sold his stock of groceries in his store on Taylor avenue, Wyalusing, to S. B. Tupper, of Pike, and Edward Smith, Mr. Overton leaving on the Lehigh Valley on Sunday for Butte, Montana, where he intends to make his home.—Rocket.

Dr. J. M. Wainwright of Scranton, delivered a lecture a few days ago to the employes of the Lackawanna railroad shops on 'How to prevent tuberculosis." He especially pointed out to the workingmen how to safeguard themselves against infection.

The pay roll of the Pennsylvania railroad in Sunbury amounts to $65,000 a month, so that the recently announced 10 per cent. increase which will go into effect on Dec. 1 will mean that the Pennsylvania will distribute an additional $100,000 in Sunbury each year.

The Penn Iron company and its employes, at Lancaster, who have been at loggerheads for the past five months, have come to an agreement. The company granted the demand for the $4.50 rate for puddling and a proportionate increase in other departments. Work was resumed on Monday. The mill employs 500 hands.

D. T. EVANS

WINTER COATS.

Splendid showing in new Coats for ladies and misses in Black, Colors and Fancy Plaids or Herringbone effects.

For children, a full line of Bear Skin, Crushed Velour, and Fancy Trimmed Cloth Coats.

FURS--The line of Furs is now complete. Buying only from the best Furriers our Furs are first class in style, quality and workmanship.

D. T. EVANS

NEWS ITEMS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

WELLS.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Osman of Covington, are spending some time with friends and relatives here.

Joseph Christen has vacated the Burley Hotel at Pine City and moved into a saloon in Elmira.

Mrs. William Sims of Troy, who has many relatives and friends here, is reported in a critical condition with cancer.

A dwelling house occupied by a family named Horton, near Bulkhead, was entirely destroyed by fire with its contents last Friday. No insurance.

Mason Oldroyd, Jr., who is at Arnot-Ogden hospital, Elmira, ill with typhoid fever, will soon be out.

Mrs. Asa Wilcox of Mosherville, is on a visit to her son, W. S. Wilcox, and family, at Lawrenceville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Andrus of Alba, are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Brown's, and other relatives in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ichon and children of the state of Wyoming, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mason Oldroyd of this place. Mrs. Oldroyd went with them last Friday for a few weeks' visit with relatives at Boston, Mass.

A Thanksgiving party will be given on Nov. 29, at Odd Fellows' hall, Mosherville. Guthrie's orchestra will furnish music. Committee: Foster Wilson, Charles Osman, Fred Tillinghast, S. G. Brasted, Henry Queal, Charles Miller. Bill, $1.

George J. Morrell will have a public sale on Thursday, Nov. 22, and sell 21 cows and other personal property.

Mrs. David McWhorter is very ill.

Charles Hamilton and family, who recently lost all their household goods by fire, have been generously remembered by several large wagon loads of new household goods by sympathetic friends here and at Elmira.

L. M. Maynard and family now occupy their elegant new residence recently erected on their farm, near Gillett.

Edward Sullivan and sister, Miss Dortha, spent Sunday with Mrs. Horton and family, at Baker Hill.

GLOSSER.

James Ditchburn of Bernice, visited a part of last week with his brother-in-law, Aden Kerr.

Mrs. Will Baxter of Orwell, visited Thursday at John Payne's.

Ben Smith, who has worked for M. F. Smith for the past two years, begins work Monday for Horten & Mather, on the lumber job on the John Chaffey tract.

Mr. and Mrs. James Frederick visited Friday at Adam Keir's.

The snow storm last week in some places blockaded the ronds.

J. H. Verbank, who went last week to New Jersey to work in a creamery, has returned home.

The death of Mrs. Robert Kier occurred Nov. 12, at her home in Packer Hollow, in Sheshequin township, of a complication of diseases, aged 63 years. She is survived by a son and daughter. The funeral was held Wednesday at the Trinket church, the Rev. Sawtelle of Ulster, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Williams of Hornbrook. This is the fifth funeral in the family Rev. Sawtelle has officiated at in 15 years.

LADDSBURG.

Mrs. Sarah Kenyon returned home Saturday evening, after spending a few months with her brother, Dr. Mathews, and nieces in Nebraska.

Miss Ivy Grant and Miss Grace Jones of Towanda, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Grant.

Miss Ida Swingle of Dushore, spent Sunday with her father, A. T. Swingle.

Edward Sturdevant of Forksville, spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Howell.

Miss Julia Grant returned home from Ricketts last Tuesday evening.

Miss Jean Kenyon spent Saturday at Towanda.

Mrs. A. A. Waltman returned home Nov. 5, after attending the World's W. C. T. U. convention at Boston, Mass, and National W. C. T. U. convention at Hartford, Conn., and visiting friends and relatives at Newark, N. J.

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STICKLEY-BRANDT FURNITURE CO.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

EAST SMITHFIELD.

The W. R. C. will charge only 25 cents for the entertainment and a fine Thanksgiving supper, including oysters. Twelve children are being trained for a program adapted to the occasion. The money raised is to be used to buy a new flag for our honored veterans and all who love our country's flag are invited to the G. A. R. hall Thanksgiving evening, where they can have a pleasant time and encourage patriotism.

The Congregational Endeavor society will have a sale of articles for Christmas gifts in the room East of the postoffice, the week before Christmas.

At the W. C. T. U. parlor meeting last Friday, Mrs. Frank Thompson of Springfield, gave an excellent report of the State convention. Her hearers showed much interest by their close attention. Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Chamberlain, of Springfield, and many from this place were present.

Harlan Mitchell has pleuro-pneumonia and his mother is sick with the grip.

Mrs. John Bird is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kildar, in New Albany.

Mrs. N. L. Bird has returned from Ithaca, where she has spent several months.

Miss Hattie Gerould and her brother have returned from Oregon and will be at the homestead.

Orville Kellogg has gone to spend the Winter with his sister, Mrs. Dietrich, near Philadelphia.

News from Mrs. M. Kirk and daughter, Miss Adelaide, tells of their safe arrival in Berlin.

BURLINGTON.

Rev. Percy of East Smithfield, will again favor Burlington people with one of his excellent lectures on Wednesday evening, Nov. 28, at the Baptist church. All those who heard the one "The House That Jack Built," some time ago, cannot afford to miss this one. Admission 10 cents; benefit of the Ladies' Aid society.

Arthur Wright is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wright.

The bazaar will be held Friday afternoon and evening, Nov. 23. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. Lottie Darling of Kansas City, Mo., is spending a few days with Mrs. Rebecca Stanton.

The annual birthday party of Mrs. George Schoonover, Manley Bird and Robert Hill was held at the home of Mrs. B. B. McDonald, Nov. 6.

Mrs. Lizzie Freeman spent the first of the week with friends in Towanda.

WEST BURLINGTON.

Mrs. Lynn Blackwell is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shattuck, in Elmira.

Teachers' local institute will be held in this place this week Friday. The entertainment will be in the church in the evening.

Mr and Mrs. I. A. Rockwell will entertain the Ladies' Aid this week Thursday for dinner. All are invited.

J. D. Blackwell was in towanda last week on business, and was the guest of his brother, A. C. Blackwell.

Messrs. M. A. Case and Lynn E. Blackwell drove to Towanda last week with tobacco for M. A. Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bailey and Mrs. Dick McKean visited Mr. Bailey's parents one day last week, in Wetona.

GROVER.

Married, Nov. 17, at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage, Canton, by the Rev. Mr. VanTyl, Miss Mabel Kiff and Pearl Jones.

Mrs. Hipple is on the sick list here.

William Campbell of Cold Spring, has moved into one of Mrs. Albert Schumbacker's houses.

Messrs. Howard and Isaac Hoagland returned to their homes last week.

Mrs. Clarke Jones is on the sick list.

Revival services are being held at the Union Evangelical church, by the pastor.

SPRINGFIELD.

Elmer Stacy, wife and daughter are visiting at Herbert Stacy's.

Mrs. Mary Parkhurst of Elmira, is a visitor in town.

Mrs. John Allan and daughter Laura, were Elmira visitors last week.

Mrs. Frank Chapman and Neva Harkness visited in Wellsburgh last week.

Rev. W. H. Hazelton was called to Bressport last Monday by the serious illness of Dell Bresee.

Some of the older residents of Basket Street, Columbia township, will remember Giles Peckham, now of Providence, R. I. It will be pleasing to many to hear that his oldest son, Daniel Mason Peckham, has been sent to Egypt by a water company to put filters on the Nile. He writes he was three weeks crossing the ocean and had a very interesting as well as profitable trip. The company furnished him a camera.

WINDFALL.

Dan Sullivan of Towanda, had business here last week.

C. R. Shoemaker is doing carpenter work for Charles Shoemaker.

Clarence Comstock of Grover, was in town last week.

LaMarr Warren is spending the Winter in Rochester.

Born, Thursday, Nov. 8, to Rev. and Mrs. William Miller, of East Canton, a daughter.

Born, Nov. 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Phinney, a daughter.

Miss Daisy Jennings of Binghamton, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. May.

WYALUSING.

Mrs. Edward Dotter and two children of Lestershire, are visiting at the home of D. A. Hillis.

Mrs. H. D. Angell of Sayre, is visiting Mrs. Lucy Haldo.

Bruce Cook of New York city, is visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. J Cook.

Miss Alice Stack has returned from a trip to Philadelphia and other places.

Miss Mabel VanGilder of Stevensville, visited at N. J. Gaylord's Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Strong is spending a few days at Dushore, called there by illness of her mother, Mrs. Mary Thompson.

Jacob VanAuken of Wilkes-Barre, spent Wednesday in this place.

Mrs. Frank Keene and children of Arlington, N. J., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Fuller.

Edward Middendorf spent several days at Athens and Sayre last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carver of Waterbury, Conn., visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mrs. H. A. Lacey spent last week in Laceyville.

Mrs. Olive Kintner and daughter Miss Lotta, are visiting relatives in Williamsport.

LAUREL HILL.

Mrs. Alice Schoonmaker of Sayre, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George West, at Maple Row.

Mrs. Jennie Struble and children came Saturday from New Jersey to spend the Winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Huff.

Mrs. M. L. Arnold is spending a couple of weeks with her daughters in Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Havens of Ulster, will spend this week on the Hill.

Rev. and Mrs. Britten of Smithfield, and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Keeler were entertained at Edwin Wright's on Wednesday.

Roy Weed and mother were at Ulster Saturday.

Nelson Keeler of North Barton, was visiting on the Hill last week.

A singing school was organized at the Williams school house last Wednesday evening with Fred Wheaton as teacher.

MOUNTAIN LAKE.

Mrs. Robert Waters of Elmira, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. James Olmstead of Sayre, were visitors at Mrs. Susan Brown's and Ferris Brown's, the past week.

Selleck Brothers received a letter recently from their brother, Theron, who went to Florida for his health. He and his wife are delighted with the country and will soon be picking oranges. They expect to spend the Winter there.

Lloyd Brown and family have gone to Sayre for a week.

Mr. Sullivan of Binghamton, was a guest at J. F. Lampman's a few days last week.

Benjamin Blair of Union, visited at J. F. Lampman's and Cary Horan's last week.

TERRYTOWN.

J. E. Terry of Towanda, was a business man in town Friday.

Messrs. Kingsley of Lovelton, have taken the job of stocking the logs for Ellsworth and Stevens.

The Misses Carrie and Lulu Terry were shopping in Towanda Saturday.

Mrs. Alice Terry is visiting relatives in Wilkes-Barre.

Grant Grippen purchased the traction engine formerly owned by Willis Terry.

Mrs. O. LeDevux and Mrs. W. Simpson were guests of Mrs. Peter Layman Thursday.

E. H. Capwell is engaged in rafting the timber to Tunkhannock that he recently purchased of L. D. Bowman and Anna Albert.

FASSETT.

Mrs. F. H. Decker is very ill.

Mrs. Grace Sawdey has gone to Corning to visit her husband.

Miss Ottie Neufeur spent a few days with her mother last week.

Mrs. Michael Crotty went to Elmira Thursday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Reed entertained Dr. Kinsman and son Charles, Sunday evening.

Mrs. M. E. Hagar and daughter Ottie, visited friends in Troy Thursday.

Mrs. Grace Sawdey attended the Dillon-Wilson wedding Thursday evening, at Coryland.

TERRYTOWN.

Mrs. J. E. Dodge visited friends in Camptown Wednesday.

G. M. Hoffman is on a business trip to Virginia.

The infant son of Henry Vanderpool of Homets Ferry, was brought here for burial Monday.

Mrs. O. LeDoux and Mrs. W. Simpson and Miss Effa Terry were entertained at Mrs. Peter Layman's one day last week.

Mrs. W. C. Jackson and daughter of West Danby, N. Y., are visiting her parents and brothers here.

LAQUIN.

Born, Nov. 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Cole, a daughter; also, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Demar, Nov. 15, a daughter.

Mrs. George Scribner and daughter Mina, were shopping in Towanda last Saturday.

The Baptist church fair began Wednesday evening with an entertainment.

E. C. Johnson and daughter Jennie, visited last Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Athens.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Peters, Nov. 17, a daughter.

All the News while it is News.

LACEYVILLE.

Ora Parker and Elgie Bennett of Silvara, left here on Thursday for Norfolk, Va., expecting to spend the Winter in that vicinity.

C. J. Johnson loaded and shipped to New York three car loads of wool last week.

Miss Nellie Mitten is spending a week at her home in Herrick.

By the new time table which went into effect on Sunday, passenger train No. 1 does not stop here and No. 7 stops at 4:01 p. m. instead. Express No. 19 which did stop here for water and took on express, will not under this schedule.

Mrs. J. N. Christian and son John, Jr., are visiting her brother, R. T. Stansburg, in Corning.

John F. Edwards, who has been located at Manila, in the Philippine Islands, for the past two or three years, has returned home and with his wife are visiting his father, Judge J. B. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Mahoney are shipping their household goods to Scranton, where they will reside and where Mr. Mahoney has been working for some time.

POWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Warriner of Bainbridge, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Warriner of Towanda, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warriner.

Miss Abbie Hess of Towanda, spent Wednesday at Fred Place's.

Earl Place spent Saturday and Sunday with Gladys and Gwin Johnston at Towanda.

Mrs. Lou Brown and Miss Myrtle Baxter attended grange meeting at Franklindale last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunfee of Monroeton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mitchell Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Brown spent Monday at Monroeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Camp spent a few days last week with Mrs. Sarah Preston at West Franklin.

LeROY.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Morse started for Galveston, Monday, Nov. 12 to spend the Winter.

Loyd Lewis is putting steam heat in his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. James Braund spent Friday in Canton.

Mrs. Walter Warburton is in Sayre hospital for treatment.

Lewis Wilcox, an aged citizen, passed away Friday, Nov. 16.

Samuel Mott was in Sayre Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Mott visited their daughter at Monroeton Sunday.

The Medicine company went to Windfall Monday morning.

Mrs. C. E. McCraney recently fell down cellar and received severe injuries.

RIDGEBURY.

Mrs. Lyman Ayers of Millerton, is visiting at John Ayers'.

Merton Halstead has been seriously ill, but is improving.

Allan Brundage of Big Pond, who broke his arm several weeks ago, is visiting at Wells Leffler's.

Mrs. George Halstead has returned home from a week's stay with her daughter Mrs. Dan Shaw in Elmira.

Mrs. Charles Hanlon has been entertaining her neice, Mrs. Charles Murray, of Detroit.

Horace Larrison is to sell his fine herd of Jerseys on Saturday, Nov. 24.

Mrs. J. P. Cain returned home Sunday ofter a stay in Elmira with her son, R. J. Cain.

SOUTH TOWANDA.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bowman of Sayre, spent a few days with her mother last week.

Miss Daisy Northrop, primary teacher here, is ill at her home in Monroeton. Her sister, Miss Vida, is teaching in her place.

Mrs. C. A. Thompson was called to Sayre last week by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Bolich.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Leljedal are moving to Towanda.

Mrs. Charles Depue spent Saturday at Sayre.

F. H. Hagerman and family have moved to their Winter home on Second street, Towanda.

WARRENHAM.

George Young made a business trip to Owego Monday.

Rev. J. S. Wilkes of Stevensville, preached in this place Thursday evening.

Miss Frances Dewing, who spent two weeks with her sister in Cortland, N. Y., returned home Friday.

Herbert Fuller and family spent Sunday afternoon with relatives in Warren Center.

George Dewing spent Monday in Potterville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Manning and daughter Dorothy, visited at Ralph Beardslee's Sunday.

CODDING.

Mrs. Elvira Smith started Saturday for a two weeks' visit with her relatives in Athens and Waverly.

Mrs. Alice Stone and Mrs. Andrew Jones of Troy, called at G. W. McClelland's on Wednesday evening and accompanied H. L. McClelland to Ulster to spend a few days.

Mrs. Laura Morgan of Buffalo, spent a few days at Judson Burlingame's.

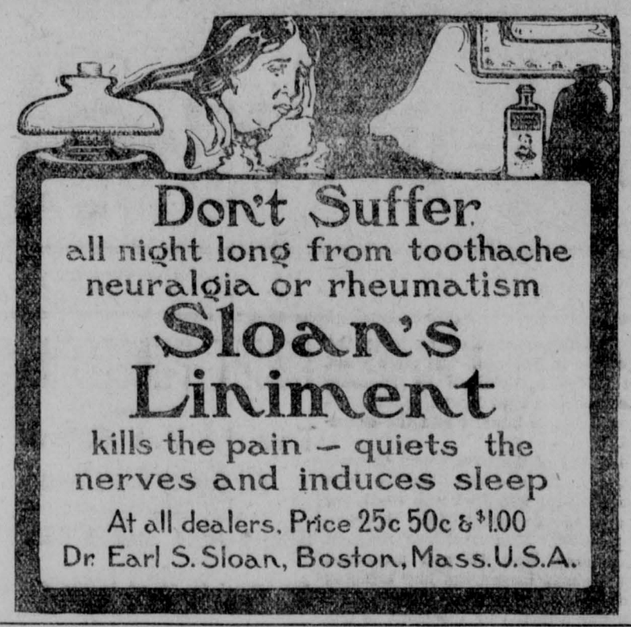
Mr. and Mrs. Murray Scouten made a business trip to Troy on Tuesday.

ORWELL RIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Ford attended the funeral of Thomas Smith at South Hill on Sunday afternoon.

S. O. Chaffee, Mr and Mrs. E. D. and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Chaffee attended the funeral of Mrs. Carl at LeRaysville, on Saturday.

Mrs. Ezekiel Smith of Elmira, and Mrs. Gardiner Carl of LeRaysville, spent Monday with friends on the hill.



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MONROETON.

Mrs. William Lundy of Towanda, spent Friday with Mrs. William Minard.

Mrs. H. L. Holmes visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Larcom, at Powell, last Friday.

Mrs. Charles Harris of South Branch, spent Saturday with Mrs. Emmett Northrup.

Mrs. Fred Mingos visited Mrs. Henry Hoovey at Dushore, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hollon returned last week from a visit of several weeks at Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Leet went Saturday to visit Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Miller at East Canton.

NORTH ORWELL.

The league gave a conundrum social Friday evening.

J. P. Sibley suffered a very serious hemorrhage of the lungs Saturday evening. Dr. Conklin was summoned and made the patient as comfortable as possible.

Capt. F. N. Moore and daughters, Jennie and Helen, attended the entertainment at Rome Saturday evening.

Mrs. Bertha Knapp received the sad news of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Kettel, of Warren Center, Saturday. Funeral Monday; interment at Windham.

Miss Mabel Deuel is a guest of her grandparents at Tyrell.

POTTERVILLE.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chaffee, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wheaton are visiting relatives in Binghamton and at Scranton.

Dr. Williams is building a basement under his barn.

E. B. Arnold, formerly of this place, is seriously ill with typhoid fever at his home in Athens.

Mrs. Ed. Manchester spent several days with her parents at Warren last week.

Merrit Chrispell has improved his residence with a coat of paint.

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7:20 a. m., daily except Sunday, (Washington St. Station 7:25 a.m.) Local for Wilkes-Barre and intermediate stations via Bernice with connections for Williamsport.

9:15 a. m., daily, Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

10:35 a. m., Sunday only, (East Towanda 10:38 a. m.) Local for Tunkhannock and intermediate stations.

1:12 p. m., daily, Limited Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

3:37 p. m., daily, Black Diamond Express for Wilkes-Barre, Philadelphia and New York.

5:22 p. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 5:27 p. m.) Local for Wilkes-Barre and intermediate stations on main line.

5:30 p. m., Daily except Sunday, (Washington St. Station 5:38 p. m.) Local for Bernice, Williamsport and intermediate stations.

WESTWARD.

1:28 a. m., daily, Limited Express for Rochester, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

3:11 a. m., daily, Express for Buffalo and the West.

10:20 a. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 10:10 a. m.) Local for Waverly, Elmira, Ithaca, Rochester, Buffalo and intermediate stations.

3:02 p. m., daily, Local Express for Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

3:50 p. m., Sunday only, (East Towanda 3:45 p. m. Local for Ulster, Milan, Athens and Sayre.

4:49 p. m., daily, Limited Express for Rochester, Buffalo, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

7:26 p. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:17 p. m.) Local for Waverly, Elmira and intermediate stations.

For further particulars apply to the local ticket agents. CHAS. S. LEE, General Passenger Agent.

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Time Table Effective May 13, 1906.

WESTWARD.				EASTWARD.			
a m	p m	a m	STATIONS	p m	p m	p m	
.....	2 10	.....	Ithaca (L.V.R.R.)	.....	12 10	.....	
.....	.....	.....	Waverly "	.....	11 10	8 45	
.....	3 10	.....	Sayre "	.....	10 50	8 25	
.....	.....	.....	Athens "	.....	10 46	7 58	
7 30	3 45	10 30	LV. Towanda AR	3 00	10 00	6 00	
7 42	4 02	10 42	Monroeton	2 51	9 52	5 51	
7 47	4 07	10 47	Powell	2 47	9 49	5 45	
7 51	4 11	10 52	Weston	2 42	9 45	5 40	
7 59	4 19	11 00	Lonoka	2 35	9 37	5 31	
8 01	4 21	11 02	Long Valley	2 32	9 35	5 27	
8 08	4 28	11 08	Barclay	2 27	9 30	5 20	
8 11	4 31	11 10	East Laquin	2 24	9 27	5 16	
8 17	4 37	11 14	Laquin	2 20	9 24	5 12	
8 25	4 45	.....	Whalen	.....	9 17	5 03	
8 33	4 53	.....	Cold Spring	.....	9 08	4 53	
8 45	5 05	.....	Wheelerville	.....	8 58	4 41	
8 52	5 12	.....	Ellenton	.....	8 52	4 33	
8 58	5 21	.....	Masten	.....	8 39	4 25	
9 02	5 26	.....	Short Run	.....	8 32	4 19	
9 07	5 32	.....	Crandalltown	.....	8 25	4 14	
9 15	5 41	.....	Pleasant Stream	.....	8 19	4 04	
9 22	5 50	.....	Ralston	.....	8 10	3 55	
10 50	.....	.....	Grays Run	.....	6 40	2 45	
10 15	(*)5	.....	Williamsport (P.R.	.....	7*10	2 30	
.....	8 30	.....	Canton "	.....	11 12	.....	
.....	8 53	.....	Troy "	.....	10 50	.....	

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Miscellaneous.

HIRAM E. BULL, County Surveyor. Engineering, Surveying and Drafting. Office in Court House.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank, at Towanda, Pa., in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, Nov. 12, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 629,399 97
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	249 86
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	125,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	1,910 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	5,320 00
Bonds, securities, etc	161,104 25
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	16,400 00
Other real estate owned	25,754 26
Due from National banks (not reserve agents)	6,607 26
Due from State Banks and Bankers	6,146 17
Due from approved reserve agents	158,469 06
Checks and other cash items	7,319 09
Notes of other National banks	6,096 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	244 68
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie $34,715 15	
Legal tender notes 15,935 00	50,650 15
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	6,250 00
Total	$1,206,920 75

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	70,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	23,681 58
National bank notes outstanding	124,300 00
Due to other National banks	3,375 34
Due to Trust companies and Savings Banks	98 17
Individual deposits subject to check	385,440 63
Demand certificates of deposit	474,880 37
Certified checks	54 66
Cashier's checks outstanding	90 00
Total	$1,206,920 75

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bradford, ss.:

U. M. Fell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

U. M. FELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Nov., 1906.

H. P. NEWELL, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 16, 1909.

Correct—Attest:

O. A. BALDWIN,
C. P. WELLES,
C. T. KIRBY,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Citizens National Bank, at Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, Nov. 12, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 636,547 60
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	57 13
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	150,000 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	5,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc	150,705 00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	30,000 00
Other real estate owned	9,225 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents	25,980 94
Due from State Banks and Bankers	2,382 63
Due from approved reserve agents	83,458 86
Checks and other cash items	3,898 62
Notes of other National banks	470 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	403 77
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:	
Specie $35,912 70	
Legal-tender notes 7,460 00	43,372 70
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation	7,500 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund	700 00
Total	$1,149,702 25

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	35,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	17,258 37
National Bank notes outstanding	49,200 00
Due to other National banks	1,560 84
Due to State Banks and Banakers	954 58
Dividends unpaid	15 00
Individual deposits subject to check	368,514 08
Demand certificates of deposit	426,582 81
Cashier's checks outstanding	616 57
Total	$1,149,702 25

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bradford, ss.:

I, J. K. Newell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. K. NEWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Nov., 1906.

L. M. OSBORNE, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 19, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

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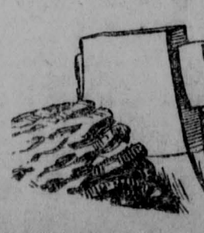

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POTTSVILLE MAN KILLED.

Imitated Wolf Cry for Joke and Was Killed on the Spot—Much Snow in Washington County—Catamount in Columbia County Shot.

Mrs. Charles Cole of Wayne township, Greene county, saved $1,200 township tax by sending a burglar upstairs for the money and then running with the cash and her baby a mile to the nearest neighbor's.

A Pottsville man on a hunting trip in Canada, who thought to joke his friends by imitating the cry of a wolf did it so well that he was shot and killed in the bushes where he was hidden.

To meet shippers' constantly growing complaints of slow movement of freight the Pennsylvania railroad has ordered at its Altoona shops 25 new freight engines. They will be the largest and heaviest locomotives ever constructed by the Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Edward Neser, whose husband died two weeks ago of heart failure, which seized him while he was on his way to a fire at York, has died from burns received from her kitchen fire. She had predicted that she would not long survive her husband.

The coroner's jury censured the Lehigh Valley Coal company for the death of Morgan Watkins, who was killed by an explosion of gas at the Midvalley colliery.

Washington county is wrapped in an unprecedented blanket of snow for this date. In the central part of the county, Northeast, drifts have rendered roads impassable, and rural mail carriers, to recover their routes, have been compelled to take to the fields. Train service is impaired.

George B. Schooley, the contestant of the Crawford will at Scranton, was indicted by the grand jury of Lackawanna county for forgery. The prosecutor is James G. Shepherd and he bases sis case upon alleged forgery of signatures to the Crawford will and codicil.

Anonuncement is made at Carlisle of the organization of a new band, which will be named the City Band. Its business managers will be Matthias J. Gouse and Taylor Grossman. About a score of members have already joined the band.

The double track of the Western half of the Philadelphia, Harrisburg and Pittsburg branch of the Reading railroad, terminating at Shippensburg, was put into operation Wednesday.

While hunting near Willow Grove, Columbia county, Monday, William Hartman of that place, shot a catamount which had been chased up a tree by his dog. The cat is a large one, and is the first killed in that section in several years.

Rev. W. C. Jones, who has been pastor of the Berwick Baptist church for some time, has resigned from the pastorate, on account of dissensions among the members, and will go into business at Nanticoke.

The board of governors of the York Oratorio society has decided to engage the Pittsburg orchestra for its next entertainment. The board also decided to hold a chamber concert in the near future. The membership of the York Oratorio society, which is rehearsing Mendelssohn's "St. Paul," now numbers 200.

Edward Roche, a carpenter, fell from the river bridge at Williamsport, 30 feet, and fractured his skull, so that he cannot recover.

For using profane language P. M. Breighner of Mt. Joy township, Adams county, was fined $4.25 by Justice Lilly, of McSherrystown.

Teachers in the Allentown schools complain that the craze among the children for collecting cigar bands interferes with their studies.

The Renovo News says that on account of the installation of electric lights on the streets hundreds of beautiful shade trees are being closely trimmed. It does seem a pity, says The News, to chop down large, live healthy trees, but still there will be a lot left to shade the avenues next Summer.

A newspaper that will be devoted to the interests of the several Methodist congregations of Williamsjort will be published at Williamsport by Fred H. Bennett. The paper will be an eight-page weekly.

L. Rufus Koons has discontinued his daily swim in the creek at Huntingdon Mills, Wilkes-Barre. He says he is not afraid of the cold water at all, but that the air is getting very disagreeable.

Berks county "heirs" to the alleged Spang fortune of $34,000,000 have received a letter from their agents in Germany that they must have $250 more to prosecute their claim.

A turkey gobbler flew over a fence in the dusk the other evening, striking in the face and knocking down into unconsciousness a Bucknell University student at Lewisburg.

Mrs. Sarah Unger and Joseph Markle, Shamokin, were married at Sunbury this week, the bride being 75 years old, and her husband 10 years younger.

A Chester man, who had been looking at the wine "when it giveth its color in the cup," attempted to commit suicide by shooting, but when arrested the revolver was found to be empty.

James C. Pollock and his wife, of Chester, celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage life, and a feature of the social festivities was the dancing of the Scottish hornpipe by the hosts.

Attorney Paul Sherwood has brought an action in the Wycoming county court at Tunkhannock, in behalf of Mrs. Huldah Seamans, against Factoryville borough, to recover damages for injuries received by her as a result of falling on a defective sidewalk.

Mrs. Kate Edwards, under sentence at Reading for the murder of her husband, was greatly interested to hear who was elected governor. She is aware that when the new administration goes into office there will be a pardon board composed of entirely new men, who, she earnestly believes, will not favor the execution of a woman.

Elmer Brockenshire, chief clerk in the office of the Lackawanna county recorder of deeds, is seriously ill at his home in Carbondale.

At the close of last week there were 685 teachers in Fayette county. The number is increasing all the time with the operating of new schools and will soon reach the 700 mark. One of the youngest is Emmett Jehu Messmore McDaniel, aged 16 years.

State Zoologist Surface has just received from Dr. H. D. Moore of New Lexington, Somerset county, a rare specimen of a Pensylvania animal known as the woods rat. The woods rat is anative of the higher, rocky and mountainous regions of Pensylvania and is very rare. For four years the state zoologist has ben trying to procure a specimen.

Robert Young of Pittsburg, the well known artificial gas expert, retired yesterday as general manager of the Consolidated Gas company, the illuminating department of the Philadelphia company, after 40 years continuous service.

Union barbers at Scranton have agreed to raise the price of a shave from 10 cents to 15 cents, and dealers in safety razors are preparing for a big business.

More people of Coudersport are receiving aid from Potter county than all the rest of the county. Coudersport people do not understand why this is the case, saying the town is prosperous and that industries are unable to obtain sufficient men.

There is such a dearth of boys at Port Allegany that The Reporter says that if any young or old couple, residents of Port Allegany, substantiate a report of the birth of twin boys within a year from this time it will donate the mother a $10 gold piece.

Judge John W. Reed of Jefferson county, has decreed the division of Punxsutawney borough into four wards. The division will greatly expediate election work hereafter, as the task of counting votes with the town as one election district has long been a toilsome one.

Paul Nowolnick of Wilkse-Barre, committed suicide in a hotel in that city Monday, by taking carbolic acid. Disappointment in love is reported as the cause of the rash act.

WEST HILL.

Mrs. Debbie Marshall is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Squires. She is attended by Dr. Charles Geare of Chemung.

Delbert Andrus has been pressing hay for William Wright and Ervine Boughton.

Mrs. Hattie Ayres of Centreville, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Armelia Colwell.

Fred Chamberlin has moved his family from the Fred Hanlon farm down on the river road and Edward Halstead has moved on, and is working the farm.

Miss Edith Marshall spent several days at her uncle's, John Squires, caring for her mother, who is very ill.

BLACK CREEK.

Mrs. John Teeter and daughter Angie, of Evergreen, spent Saturday in this place.

Born, Nov. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Shaffer, a son.

Mrs. Tressie Lindley of New Albany, spent last Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Shaffer.

Fred Teeter visited Saturday and Sunday at Evergreen.

What Do They Cure?

The above question is often asked concerning Dr. Pierce's two leading medicines, "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Favorite Prescription."

The answer is that "Golden Medical Discovery" is a most potent alterative or blood-purifier, and tonic or invigorator and acts especially favorably in a curative way upon all the mucous lining surfaces, as of the nasal passages, throat, bronchial tubes, stomach, bowels and bladder, curing a large per cent. of catarrhal cases whether the disease affects the nasal passages, the throat, larynx, bronchia, stomach (as catarrhal dyspepsia), bowels (as mucous diarrhea), bladder, uterus or other pelvic organs. Even in the chronic or ulcerative stages of these affections, it is often successful in affecting cures.

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Both medicines are non-alcoholic, non-secret, and contain no harmful habit-forming drugs, being composed of glyceric extracts of the roots of native, American medicinal forest plants. They are both sold by dealers in medicine. You can't afford to accept as a substitute for one of these medicines of known composition, any secret nostrum.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels.

WAYS OF THE TOAD.

Some of the Oddities of This Peculiar Creature.

It is remarkable that the toad, loving water as it does, should wander away from watery regions to dry ground, where it can never see a drop of water except at rain time and leave its water rights to the undisputed possession of its ranal neighbor the frog. How the toad loves water must be known to every garden lover. Whenever there is a shower the creature leaves its cool retreat under the piazza or shed and stands as far as its fore legs will let it, erect in the rain, apparently enjoying to the utmost the shower bath.

Whenever they are near the water at breeding time they deposit long, slimy strings of eggs, and the young toad has to go through the tadpole stage in common with his brother frog. But when they are wholly excluded by distance from the water they seem to have the power of being viviparous, or bringing forth their young alive. In the water fertilization is effected in the same manner as in fishes, but the method in the land life career is not known. About all that is known is that confined toads are found with little toads, no larger than house flies, about them after a time, and in walled gardens and places far removed from water little toads, no larger than peas, wandering around on their own resources and which could never have been tadpoles, are within common experience.

MARY CAMPBELL.

The Lassie Who Was the Original of "Highland Mary."

The original of "Highland Mary" was Mary Campbell, a highland lassie who was a servant at Castle Montgomery, with whom Burns became acquainted during his residence at Mossgiel. To her he addressed the lines, "Will ye go to the Indies, my Mary?" and many others. In a note to one of his poems on Mary, Burns says: "After a pretty long time of the most ardent reciprocal feeling we met by appointment on the second Sunday of May in a sequestered spot by the banks of the Ayr, where we spent a day in taking a farewell before she should embark for the west highlands to arrange matters among her friends for our projected change of life. At the close of the autumn following she crossed the sea to meet me at Greenock, where she had scarce landed when she was seized with a malignant fever, which hurried my dear girl to her grave before I could even hear of her illness." The love which Burns felt for Mary Campbell appears to have been deeper than any he ever felt before or after. Years later, when he was married and had a family, her memory inspired the pathetic lines "To Mary In Heaven," which breathe the soul of tender melancholy.—London Tit-Bits.

A Daring Bishop.

A story of the great Bishop Selwyn of New Zealand is told by Commander Gambier of the British navy in his book. The bishop's missionary yacht, the Southern Cross, touched a coral reef when entering the harbor Port of France, New Caledonia. It became necessary to examine her bottom, but the sharks were so numerous and so daring that nobody would venture into the water. "So the bishop, who held that if a man showed a bold front to a shark he would sheer off, went overboard himself with a long, sharp knife in his mouth for defense, and, diving under his vessel, ascertained the damage. He then came on board our ship, and we arranged to careen the yacht sufficiently to enable him to nail on some copper sheets, which he did himself, again spending a long time in the water. For some curious reason not a single shark hove in sight all the time."

Many a Slip For the Farmer.

"Raising wheat is no easy task," remarked a farmer. "One year I had 500 acres of as beautiful wheat as ever lay out of doors. It stood breast high, and it seemed good for forty bushels to the acre. That meant to me a profit of $7,000. I had the teams and harvest hands engaged and expected to begin cutting on Monday. On Friday afternoon there came out of the northwest a greenish gray cloud. Following a heavy rain, the hail fell. In ten minutes the wheat was flattened to six inches from the ground. We cut a little of it for hay. The remainder rotted on the ground. The mortgage on the farm was foreclosed, and I hired out by the day to support my family. Do you wonder that the wheat farmer is not boastful of his crop until he has it in the granary?"—Outlook.

The Oldest Tunnel.

The oldest known tunnel in the world is that of Siloah, near Jerusalem. It was used as an aqueduct. The famous inscription, discovered some years ago celebrates the first meeting of the diggers from both sides. Newspapers did not appear in those days, and so the event cannot be exactly dated, but it most probably took place under King Hezekiah, about 700 B. C., and is an interesting testimony to the high state of civilization among the Jews at a time when Europe was inhabited by savages.—American Israelite.

Shocking Mortality.

The crowded ship gave a sudden lurch.

There was a splash.

"Oh," wailed the young woman who had been sitting near the rail reading a book, "think of all those lives being lost!"

But nothing could be done, and she gazed sadly at her copy of "Plutarch" dancing mercily on the waves far astern.—Chicago Tribune.

A Kaffir Story.

This Kaffir story is true: A Christian Zulu-Kaffir was heard recounting to another Kaffir a vision of heaven of which he had had a dream. "And saw you any Kaffirs there?" inquired his listener. The teller of the story pondered awhile, and then "No," said he, "for I did not look into the kitchen."

DEATH ROLL OF A WEEK

Francis Cole.

Francis Cole died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Delos Dubois, in Athens, at 1:30 o'clock on Sunday, of old age. He was born in New York state, March 2, 1810, but removed to Macedonia, in this county, where he resided until about two years ago when he came to Athens. Last year he was presented with a gold headed cane at the old folks' meeting at Towanda, he was presumed to be the oldest man in Bradford county. His two sons, Harrison and Alanson, were killed in the Civil war. He leaves three daughters, Mrs. Anna Chapel of St. Louis, Mrs. Cyrus Farney of Milledgeville, Ill., and Mrs. Delos Dubois of Athens. A brief service was held at the home of Mrs. Dubois Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The body was brought to Macedonia Wednesday morning for interment.

Horace A. Kiff.

Horace A. Kiff, a life long citizen of Athens, died at his home there at 6 o'clock Thursday morning from Bright's disease and the resulting complication, after an illness of several years. For the past two years his condition was such as to confine him to his home. The funeral was held from the house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock; interment in Tioga Point cemetery. Horace A. Kiff was the son of the late Dr. William Kiff, one of the first practitctioners of medicine in Athens, and was born in Athens April 16, 1830. He had spent his whole life in Bradford county and up to a few years ago had been practically engaged in mercantile pursuits He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Francis Hancock, with whom he lived, and a granddaughter, Miss Leah Northrup.—Athens News.

Hiram M. Payne.

Hiram M. Payne died Oct. 28, at his home in Montana, near Great Falls, of heart failure, brought on by an attack of indigestion, aged 64 years and three months. He was born in McKean county, Pa. Much of his youth was spent in Waverly. During the Civil war he enlisted in the 23rd New York regiment, serving four years. A wife and one son survive him. His funeral at Great Falls was largely attended, being conducted by the Masonic fraternity. Many beautiful floral offerings were sent by the Masons, G. A. R., and others, which bore testimony of the universal respect in which he was held by all with whom he came in contact.

James Travis.

The death of James Travis of Ricketts, occurred late Satuurday night at the home of his brother, Henry Travis, in Third street, after an illness of several weeks, with typhoid pneumonia. The deceased went home time ago from the family home in New Era, to work at Ricketts. Coming to Towanda about six weeks ago, he became seriously ill, and sank steadily despite all that could be done. A wife and two children are left to mourn his loss; his parents are also living. The remains were taken on Monday to New Era, where funeral services were held and burial made.

Hiram Dunn.

After suffering for some time from weakness of the heart, Hiram Dunn died at his home in East Towanda, Friday afternoon last, at the age of 82 years. He was the son of Captain William Dunn, a veteran of the War of 1812. Beside his wife, the deceased is survived by six children: Mrs. Mary Wickwire of Black, H. O. Dunn of Marion, O., M. C. Dunn of Canastota, N. Y., N. J. Dunn of Arnold, Pa., Mrs. F. H. Leach of Aberdeen, S. D., and G. D. Dunn of Nevada, Ohio.

Peter A. Kropp.

Peter A. Kropp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kropp, died Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock, at his home in Wilkes-Barre, after a brief illness with kes-Barre, after a brief illness with brain fever. He is survived by his wife and four young sons. Mr. Kropp was 35 years of age, and was born and lived in Towanda until last Spring, when he accepted a position in Wilkes-Barre. He was employed for many years in different stores in Towanda, and by his genial good nature and happy dispositon won a host of friends who will sincerely grieve because of his early death. He was an active member of Lin-ta Hose company and of various fraternal societies.

Mrs. J. O. Frost.

The death of Mrs. Cloe Frost, widow of the late James O. Frost, at her home in North Main street, at 5:45 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, came as a shock to the many friends of the family, for although Mrs. Frost was nearly 84 years of age she had of late been enjoying unusually good health, and had been about as usual Tuesday afternoon. For some minutes after 5 o'clock she had been conversing with members of the family, and expired suddenly, while sitting in her rocking chair. Death is believed to have been due to heart failure, from advanced age. She was a native of Bradford county, a daughter of Chester Hill, of Wysox.

With her husband, the well known manufacturer and founder of the furniture factory now known as J. O. Frost's Sons, Mrs. Cloe Frost came to Towanda in 1864, and resided here continuously since. On the 22d day of the coming December she would have been 84 years of age, and during all her life here she has kept up active interest in many good works. Of the immediate family left to mourn her loss, there are two daughters, Mrs. Elsie M. Means, Mrs. W. H. Dodge; and three sons, Edward, Lester and G. Ernest Frost, all of whom live in Towanda.

Funeral services will be held from the house at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, and will be conducted by Mrs. Frost's pastor, Rev. Dr. J. S. Stewart. Interment will be in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Bradford McKee.

Mrs. Cynthia McKee, wife of Bradford McKee, died Wednesday morning, Oct. 10, at her home in West Franklin. She had been in poor health for a few weeks before her death. She was a great sufferer from dropsy and heart disease, which she bore without a murmur. Kind friends cared for her until she laid down her cross and went home to Jesus. Mrs. McKee was a daughter of the late Henry Stone; she was born in LeRoy township, Dec. 15, 1831, and was the oldest of a family of eight children, three of whom are living, D. M. Stone of West Franklin, Mrs. G. T. Wilcox of Monroeton and C. R. Stone of LeRoy. She was a member of the M. E. church and was always ready and willing to lend a helping hand and had a pleasant word for everyone. She had a great many friends from far and near, whom will greatly miss her. Her husband and several relatives survive her. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church, Friday, Oct. 12, Rev. Yerdon officiating, with interment at Franklin Center cemetery.

William Kenney.

William Kenney, who for many years was employed as a passenger conductor on the Lehigh Valley, died at 8:15 o'clock Sunday evening at his home on the corner of Spaulding and Howard streets, Waverly. The cause of death was cancer of the liver from which he had been suffering for several months. Mr. Kenney was operated upon for the cancer at the Packer hospital last June. The deceased had been a resident of Waverly for about 40 years and for about 32 years was in the employ of the Lehigh. He left the employ of the railroad during the strike in 1893. He is survived by three daugnters, Mrs. James Sheanan of Sayre, and Misses Frances, Ellen and Agnes of Waverly. The funeral was held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at St. James church in Waverly and the interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery at Waverly. The C. M. B. A. of Waverly, will have cnarge of the services.

Olive M. Comfort.

The death of the eight years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Comfort of Snedekers, that occurred Tuesday, Nov. 6, was most distressful. Death, from that dread disease, pneumonia, came suddenly; the child was around the house the morning of the day she died.

Thomas B. Smith.

At the advanced age of 71 years, of which 16 were spent in Ulster, Thomas B. Smith died on Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock. He was for many years a resident of Pike township, living near LeRaysville. Beside his wife, there survive him two daughters, Mrs. Bronson of Montrose, and Mrs. R. A. Horton of Ulster. The funeral was held from his late home on Saturday, Nov. 17, at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Frank W. Lacey.

At her home in Laceyville at an early hour on Monday, Nov. 19, occurred the death of the young wife of Frank W. Lacey, an event of such sadness that the entire community share in the grief of the husband and parents. Mrs. Lacey was the mother of an infant 17 days old. She is survived, beside her husband and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel V. France of Skinners Eddy, by several brothers. Funeral services will be held from the home at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, conducted by her former pastor, Rev. J. S. Custard of Clarks Summit.

Martha Allis.

At the home of her son in East Towanda, occurred the death on Tuesday, Nov. 20, of Mrs. Martha Allis, at the age of 87 years. The deceased had been ailing for some time with the weakness due to extreme old age, and passed away peacefully after a life of useful activity. She is survived by one son, Hallie, an employe of the Towanda postoffice, as carrier of a rural free delivery route. The funeral services will be held from the house Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, and burial will be made in the cemetery at Allis Hollow.

Mrs. Mary A. Harps.

Mrs. Mary Ann Harps died at her home at Taylorville, about a mile North of Wyalusing, at about 7:30 Sunday evening, after a long illness, death being due to cancer, although she had been a great sufferer from various other ailments for some time past. She is survived by two sons and one daughter: Morris Adin, Levi, and Miss Nettie, all of whom reside in Wyalusing. The funeral was held at the M. E. church in Wyalusing Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock; interment was in the Wyalusing cemetery.

Mrs. Elvira Holford.

Died, at her home in Sayles, Elvira, wife of George Holford, after a long and lingering illness, aged 82 years. She leaves an aged husband, two sons and a daughter to mourn her loss: Mrs. Ami Parkhurst of Sayles, James Holford of Troy, and Ed Holford of Canton. She was born in LeRoy, April 30, 1824, and had been a member of the Christian church at Franklindale for a number of years. Funeral services were held at the Christian church, Tuesday, Nov. 20, burial in the cemetery there.

Mrs. Tamar Chaffee Brink.

Mrs. Tamar Chaffee Brink died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Olive Arnold, in Orwell, on Thursday of this week. Mrs. Brink was 74 years old, and is survived by three sons and two daughters, Mrs. Olive Arnold of Orwell, and Mrs. James Titus of Herrick; G. M. Chaffee of Nebraska, M. W. Chaffee of Orwell, and L. E. Chaffee, of the same place. The funeral was held Monday, Nov. 19, from the home of Mrs. Olive Arnold, in Orwell.

BAILEY CORNERS.

Edward Vrooman spent two days last week in Canton and East Canton.

Mrs. Dora Vrooman and daughter Leah, and Mrs. M. H. Rockwell were in Troy last Thursday.

Mrs. R. Rockwell, Mrs. George Darrow of Elmira, Mrs. Sylvester Rockwell and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vroman visited at Orville Gilbert's last Monday.

Mrs. Malinda Finney and Mrs. S. J. Bailey have both been sick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey were calling at Hugh Baird's, at East Canton, last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Vroman and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Spencer attended the funeral of Mrs. Theo. Manley at Alba, last Sunday.

Mrs. Charley McLaughlin of Michigan, and Mrs. Bert Monroe visited at J. W. Bailey's last Thursday.

AUSTINVILLE.

Miss Anna Furman and Miss Alice McIntyre visited Mrs. John Tuton at Wellsburg, Saturday.

Warman, Miller & Rosenburg moved their store goods to Daget Hollow recently.

The proceeds of the poverty social was $5. May Allen and Stephen Wilson won first prize and Mr. and Mrs. Vedder the second.

Born, Nov. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Hammond, a daughter.

Horace Freeman has rented the Dailey farm and will move his family there this week.

George Wolfe and family visited at Charles Shaw's Sunday.

John Struble and wife are both ill. Dr. Philips of Troy, attends them.

POWELL.

Mrs. Dorsey was called to Owego last week by the death of her cousin, Mrs. Pellum.

Mrs. Hattie Benedict started Thursday to spend several weeks with her daughter in New Jersey.

Miss Blanche Spear and Mrs. H. Rockwell visited friends in Laquin this week.

Mrs. M. J. Lantz of New Albany, Mrs. Dell Lewis of Towanda, and Mrs. R. L. Bevans of Frank[illegible]ale, visited friends here this week.

Marion Harland.

The celebrated authoress, so highly esteemed by the women of America, says on pages 103 and 445 of her popular work, *"Eve's Daughters; or, Common Sense for Maid, Wife and Mother"*:

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Pomona Grange district, No. 23, is entitled to 72 delegates to the 34th State Grange session, to be held at Dubois, Dec. 11-16, 1906.

The National grange has just closed its annual session held at Denver, Col. Much important business was transacted.

The important feature of the session of Pomona grange, No. 23, to be held with Iona grange of South Burlington, on the 29th and 30th inst., is "Banking." Some strong work is being put forward favoring grange banks at Canton and Troy.

The grange that fails to commemorate the 39th anniversary of the Order on Dec. 4, misses an opportunity to do much to add strength to the grange. A feast of good things should be provided to satisfy all. It is easy to do so if all give a helping hand.

We hear Patrons asking which will be the better for the farmer, grange banks or postal savings banks?

The thoughtful Patron as he reviews the past appears to fear what may be done by the attempts to carry out the promises made by opr lawmakers. Many unintentional mistakes have been made that ought to be corrected, but we realize they may possibly be unintentionally made worse. It would be better to do nothing than to make some of our laws worse than they are. The "lookers-on" are much interested to know just what the results may be. Many pity the lawmakers' situation and fear the results of their action. The initiative and referendum might relieve us to a great extent and many are longing for the time when the people can vote for the adoption or rejection of a proposed law.

Every Patron learned at the recent battle of ballots "that ten parties were in array fighting for victory." He also learned that he might choose which party he desired to support, what banner he might look up to, what people he wished to march with or in other words "what principle he would "shout for." He also learned that he might adopt the principles of the ten parties by shouting, voting and marching under the leadership of persons belonging to each of the several parties. The fray has ended and all good Patrons should wend their way to the farmers' schools in the grange rooms. As Winter approaches the home scene at the farmers' abiding place should be made so pleasant that all may enjoy the home gathering. The rush of Spring plougaing, the cultivation of the growing crops, and the labor of gathering an abundant harvest have ceased, so now all may enjoy the reward of many days labor. The enjoyments of Winter homes by the farmer are all of his own making. At this season of the year it may be well for him to recall to mind the labors of the past months, to see wherein he may make improvements for the duties of the coming year.

It may also be well to study the ways of the office-seeker who is to be found in all walks of life, learn the reason why he wishes you to help him down Billy Jones at the club, or silence Sister Smith in the Aid society. If the Master of the Grange asks you to vote for a partisan who has always opposed your views in political policy it may be well to ask why he descends from his perch of promotion, forgetting that he should not use his position to bias the political or religious views of his brothers and sisters.

As Patrons of Husbandry we should, first of all, keep on learning to think, remembering what has past while aiming to gain and retain the rights of an agricultural people. We should not forget the rights of others but aim to equalize rights as well as taxes, certainly we should not wrong a brother or sister in word or deed but other people are also entitled to the same consideration. We should beware of one who prevaricates, as much as we would of one who breaks into our dwelling and takes our possessions. If the villifier be a member of our own society we deem him to be more dreaded than any other. This lesson should be so firmly fixed in our minds that all should know it and so firmly that all shall be profited by it.

Many members of the Grange have been attending the dramatic entertainments of the Oregon Indian medicine company given in various parts of our county. Some very fine lessons have been taught to patrons who have a desire to amuse as well as entertain a certain part of our membership. There are many people in every community who must have something exciting on foot in order to cause them to atend church, the grange, election or any other ordinary gathering. Every society of long standing has experienced more or less dull times. The short, amusing dramas of the medicine company attracted all. There is not a grange under proper leadership that cannot furnish itself with such entertainments that may be at profit. Prompt attendance, variety of program and reasonable closing hours will work much good to some granges. Be willing to learn by the teaching of anyone, of course the better the teacher the better the chances for good results. It is also true that the better the pupil is the better results are assured.

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Poor old John D. Rockefeller! Who envies him now?

Evidently, the bomb that exploded in St. Peter's at Rome was not of the Russian variety; nobody was hurt.

A Buffalo firm advertises "shirt-waists one-third off." This must be a very pronounced cut of the peek-a-boo variety.

"The election did not kill me," says David B. Hill. That's lucky, seeing that Mr. Hill was an innocent bystander at the time.

Now there is talk of the president going to the Philippines. But it is probably just a scare thrown into the "unwritten law" defenders.

Since the failure of Hearst to be snowed under, there is nothing left to keep New York warm but the Thaw case, and Thaw's lawyers are looking to Mr. Thaw to melt the jury with her evidence.

If Roosevelt should succeed himself, would it be his second or third term? It seems important to settle that question before starting the 1908 campaign.

It begins to look as though the corporations would have difficulty in raising wages fast enough to keep with the demands on the consumer by the trusts.

It is announced that Mrs. Russell Sage will give her millions away to people who have not bothered her with begging letters. We do not even know Mrs. Sage's address.

Bernard Shaw's attacks on the Bible are sure to antagonize a lot of people who would not go to see his plays anyway, but he hopes by them to propitiate the mammon of unrighteousness.

Meat is so high in Germany and Austria that the butchers have learned to cut beefsteak from mules. Our beef trust would find its functions of enforcing economy in meat consumption entirely forestalled there.

The declaration that our big coast defense guns will last only for an hour and a half in battle would be very disturbing if it were not for the reflection that the big guns of the attacking fleets are not likely to last any longer. Considering the subject fully wise governments may reach the conclusion that war will be too expensive an amusement to indulge in.

No education is so good as that which teaches a boy how to earn his living. If he can have education for other purposes, so much the better; one cannot have too much real intellectual development. But learning how to earn a living is fundamental. Whether the apprentice system has broken down because of factory production, or the restrictions of labor unions, or the unwillingness of boys to submit to it, of which there is some evidence, the one fact that is pretty clear is that it has broken down.

What with a great highway through Pennsylvania from East to West and its branches; with liberal appropriations to clothe the barren mountains with a new growth of forests; with the deepening of the Delaware river channel for commerce, and with more hospital room for the insane, the treasury surplus will look something like 30 cents. The governor-elect pledged himself during the campaign for much of this work. But the question is whether the new legislature will be equal to the occasion. If so, the fact will demonstrate that the fusion movement, though temporarily halted, has not been without its salutary effect upon the Organization itself.

Maintenance of the present tariff wall between the two countries is an illustration of economic cowardice. The fear that Canadian competition under free trade would work disaster to our own producers is the fear of a lusty giant that one who is one-tenth of his strength and stature will take some of his possessions from him. We have little to aprehend on that score. A few lines of industry would suffer to some small extent, undoubtedly, but the injury would be inconsiderable and temporary. It would be limited to a few people whose selfish interests would not be permitted to stand in the way of the larger interests of the indefinitely greater number. Canada's entire surplus production could be spilled into the United States and not one in 10,000 of our people know anything about it.—New York Sun.

DANGER AHEAD.

While rejoicing at the splendid victory achieved in Pennsylvania by Governor-elect Edwin S. Stuart, the Republican leaders and voters should not be lulled to slumber. The fact that the Pennsylvania congressional delegation lost several supporters of protection at the last election is a matter that should receive the serious attention of all citizens who are interested in the welfare of this land.

Northeastern Pennsylvania certainly has cause to mourn the conditions that cannot fail to work against her citizens. In the Tenth, Eleventh and Fourteenth congressional districts, hitherto Republican strongholds, the majority of voters have signified that they have no interest in the good work accomplished by the fifty-ninth congress at the suggestion of President Roosevelt, and have practically put the seal of condemnation upon his efforts in the line of progress, by electing Democrats in place of the men who stood by him loyally in every move for the benefit of the whole people.

The fact that the congressmen from Lackawanna, Luzerne and member who represents Bradford, Susquehanna, Wayne and Wyoming counties, will at the next session be powerless to influence legislation in the interest of their constituents, is a matter of general regret. It is trifling, however, when compared to the danger that is invited by allowing the representatives of Democracy to gain the slightest foothold in the national house of representatives.

The conditions which resulted in the defeat of one of the most faithful of the influential members who have represented Lackawanna county are indeed deplorable, but they sink to insignificance when compared to those which caused the defeat of Republican candidates in Luzerne and the Bradford - Susquehanna - Wayne - Wyoming districts.

It must be remembered, now that election is over, that the congressmen from these three important districts are not the representatives of any side issue or combination party.

They are Democrats!

Whatever influence they may exert in congress will be in the interest of the party of obstruction!

Do not forget it!

In view of these facts, it behooves the Republicans of Northeastern Pennsylvania to begin at once the campaign of reclamation.

This section of the state is largely Republican.

Let us see to it in future that the work is carried on in a manner that will give no real or fancied excuse for internal dissensions. Let us keep in mind the fact that if harmony prevails it will not be difficult to place an affective check upon the desperate industry-wrecking gang that is preparing for another assault upon the White House.

Let the campaign of 1908 begin today.—Scranton Tribune.

AERIAL CARRIAGES ARE COMING.

Sir Hiram S. Maxim, an American mechanic who has been honored by the British government, on acount of his inventive genius and industry, has become an enthusiast over the prospects of navigating the air. He says balloons will be for war, and he anticipates that in the course of the next decade it will be as easy to navigate the air as it is to travel in a railroad car or an automobile at the present time.

And why should not everybody make that prediction? Very useful inventions are coming thick and fast. Not a very long time after the locomotive was invented and perfected in a measure, the automobile was discovered and placed in line for perfection. The first automobile was a clumsy affair. The first locomotive was exceedingly so. The first steamboat was anything but a steamboat. Now all those inventions have been perfected until it seems that there can be no further improvement.

Telegraph messages jump across the ocean without the aid of wire. Why will not carriages jump across the ocean without the aid of wheels? It is simply a matter of accidental discovery which will undoubtedly be made.

DON'T NEED THE MONEY.

An heir to $50,000 has been found in the Duchess county poor house. He was contented where he was and said he was sorry to be disturbed after being a pauper for several years. He says he fears the money will be a bother to him. Mrs. Russel Sage can assure him that his fears are well founded. A similar case is reported in the Erie county poor house. There has been a great improvement in the management of county poor houses and the care of unfortunates, many of whom come to the conclusion that they are among the fortunates.—Binghamton Republican.

A canvas of the Bradford county farm might not reveal such an example of calm philosophy. However, the cases cited by the Republican merely illustrated again the rule of comparisons; before becoming an actual pauper, a bequest of $50,000 would mean joy to the average human. But the gradual decline of mental and moral health brings a languor which refuses even to care for riches.

Uncle Sam has an elephant on his hands. In fact he has three, and is considerably annoyed thereby. The pachyderms were brought over the border from Canada by a gentleman named Thompson, of Hippodrome fame, who said they were worth $2,300. The treasury officials valued them at $4,000, but Thompson refused to pay the tariff at that figure, and the animals were confiscated. As it costs a good deal to feed three elephants the government does not seem to have made a good bargain.

IS DIVORCE A SUCCESS?

He was a reflecting person as well as a wit who retorted to the question "Is marriage a failure?" by the other question "Is divorce a success?"

The greater part of the victims of unhappy marriages are women. Men are far more apt to be intemperate and licentious, and even when free from gross vices they are more brutally selfish. Women not only furnish the larger number of marital victims, but they suffer longer for the sake of their children or because they are without means of supporting themselves. The first thought, therefore, is that facility of divorce is demanded by the interest of wives.

But at this point the other question becomes pertinent: Is divorce a success? The great mass of women are more strenuous opponents of lax divorce laws than men are. In part this may be accounted for by the greater loyalty of women to the church. But primarily it is due to the sound instinct of women that on the whole they would suffer far more from a loose divorce system than the men would. It is simply impossible to make marriage experimental in any true sense. No matter how easily the marriage tie might be dissolved, it would not put the man and woman back where they were before marriage, and it would put the woman back very much less than the man.

With the exception of a few feminine philosophers, women realize profoundly that what they need most is greater sanctity in the matrimonial relation and not less; that for their protection men should have a graver sense of responsibility and not a lighter one. The permanent marriage has its trials and its burdens, but there are still greater evils in a temporary tie.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS BEST.

Cornell University finds that students coming from the public schools are better prepared than the entrants from private schools. The number of private schools from which students have entered Cornell is 309; they have sent on certificate 1,865 students in the last 20 years, or 42 per cent. During the same period the public schools have sent 2,520, or 58 per cent. Of the private school graduates the number "warned" at the end of the first tearm is 132, or 7 per cent.; public schools, 115, or 5 per cent. After the first term 284 private students, 15 per cent., have been "warned," while for public school students the corresponding figures are 233, or 9 per cent. For students dropped from their classes the figures are: End of first term, private schools 138, or 7 per cent. After the first term, private schools 153, or 8 per cent.; public schools 111, or 5 per cent. With a higher percentage in the total enrollment of the university, the public school graduates in Cornell have had a markedly lower percentage of failures than have the students who prepared in the private schools. As a result of the investigation that led to the tabulation of these comparative statistics the Cornell authorities favor the withdrawal from private schools of the privilege of admission of students by certificate.

WHEN PROPHETS DISAGREE.

While the Berks county and other goose bone weather prophets of the Keystone state are busy finding signs of a severe Winter, the New England prophets of the same subject declare the reverse to be true, according to the New York Tribune:

A New England weather prophet says the coming Winter will be an open one, declaring that he "can smell it in the air." He notices that the birds are staying later than usual this Fall, which is always taken as a sure sign that Winter will not come until after Christmaas. The hens have hardly begun to shed their feathers yet, and in most years they have moulted and started in to lay by Oct. 1. The partridges are thinly clad with feathers. The corn husks are very scant and gauzy. Burrs on beech and hazel nuts are so thin and soft that a child can bite through the toughest of them. Cattle and horses out at pasture are looking as sleek as they did in June, indicating that they have not begun to think of putting on Winter overcoats. Woodchucks, which should have retired for the Winter in September, are out loafing at the entrances to their burrows. All these signs, according to the sage quoted, are infallible.

COULD TRUST HER.

William B. Wilson of Blossburg, who has just been elected to congress after a hot fight, had his political details in safe hands—those of his daughter, Grace. A woman of 20 years, and her father's secretary for five years, Miss Wilson conducted the office, or correspondence, end of her father's campaign. During the candidate's stay of a week in Lycoming county, during which he made an address every evening and held a reception almost every day, Miss Wilson had headquarters at the Hotel Updegraff in Williamsport, and answered all inquiries and arranged for a week's campaigning in Tioga and Potter counties.—Wellsboro Gazette.

Members of the American Bankers' association may get together and succeed in formulating a plan for currency reform. But congressmen have the habit of looking askance at outside finacial nostrums. Bradford's representative, however, might act a double role in this event.

Count Boni Castellane can scarcely have the sensitive consideration for honor which the romances attribute to blue blood, else he would go and hang himself after noticing how the civilized world is reviling, ridiculing and caricaturing him.

OFFICIAL VOTE OF BRADFORD COUUTY

Election Held Nov. 6, 1906.

DISTRICTS.	GOVERNOR.		CONGRESS.		REPRESENTATIVE.		JURY COMMISSIONER.	
	Stuart, R.	Emery, L. D.	Lilley, R.	Kipp, D.	Stevens, R. D.	Moscrip, R. D.	Scott, R.	Graham, D.
Alba Boro.	18	18	18	20	35	31	21	16
Aibany Twp.	102	114	103	126	185	191	119	97
Armenia Twp.	32	15	29	19	41	38	34	9
Asylum Twp.	26	141	32	143	142	143	41	122
Athens Boro., 1st W.	77	165	89	152	231	223	150	78
Athens Boro., 2d W.	73	136	79	133	200	186	117	81
Athens Boro, 3rd w.	92	112	76	129	197	181	127	73
Athens Boro., 4th W.	65	72	66	72	131	118	97	37
Athens Twp., 1st D.	30	82	15	98	108	101	40	69
Athens Twp. 2d D.	11	38	12	31	49	47	15	34
Athens Twp., 3rd D.	39	64	28	75	100	93	47	54
Athens Twp., 4th D.	7	24	4	28	30	29	8	23
Barclay Twp.	67	42	64	50	101	103	72	35
Burlington Boro.	20	16	23	14	33	35	28	8
Burlington Twp	68	58	66	64	106	123	86	37
Burlington, West.	49	53	53	59	95	99	77	28
Canton Boro	171	142	186	125	283	278	195	96
Canton Twp., 1st D.	90	93	100	86	158	152	119	48
Canton Twp., 2d D.	36	19	33	21	51	46	39	12
Columbia Twp.	34	52	37	49	81	76	45	35
Columbia Twp., 2d D.	39	46	43	41	78	74	54	29
Franklin Twp.	26	55	23	62	71	71	37	42
Granville Twp.	117	65	107	66	170	168	133	43
Herrick Twp.	61	96	72	84	147	153	96	56
LeRaysville Boro.	37	48	51	36	79	80	70	11
LeRoy Twp.	64	37	64	43	88	73	77	17
Litchfield Twp.	60	102	61	99	157	158	73	87
Monroe Boro	53	34	53	28	74	73	59	19
Monroe Twp., 1st D.	47	52	49	47	85	91	65	33
Monroe Twp., 2d D.	70	48	71	49	108	105	74	36
New Albany Boro.	41	40	35	53	56	57	57	18
Orwell Twp.	65	109	58	115	163	162	115	54
Overton Twp	20	58	26	56	64	64	29	51
Pike Twp., 1st D.	55	22	56	20	78	75	69	8
Pike Twp., 2d D.	86	26	85	27	107	105	92	17
Ridgebury Twp	62	77	60	78	127	123	68	66
Rome Boro	26	23	33	23	54	50	40	15
Rome Twp.	64	67	70	67	135	127	88	47
Sayre Boro, 1st w.	118	164	131	145	260	239	139	127
Sayre Boro., 2d W.	96	202	100	201	279	39	115	173
Sayre Boro., 3rd W.	68	58	65	71	118	108	70	56
Sayre Boro., 4th W.	111	172	109	179	262	127	118	146
Sheshequin Twp.	98	115	90	120	187	190	142	57
Smithfield Twp.	82	148	85	157	219	216	138	89
South Creek Twp.	71	66	70	64	134	126	78	55
South Waverly Boro.	65	102	73	98	156	150	69	92
Springfield Twp.	75	135	90	111	189	177	119	72
Standing Stone Twp.	31	109	37	98	128	128	45	91
Sylvania Boro.	32	26	40	18	55	40	40	16
Terry Twp	81	110	73	121	177	174	86	99
Towanda Boro, 1st w.	86	116	108	93	173	179	105	86
Towanda Boro., 2d W.	102	188	122	165	257	261	128	153
Towanda Boro., 3rd W.	99	156	130	128	222	227	162	83
Towanda Twp.	59	83	71	76	104	108	68	64
Towanda, North	40	76	39	83	104	112	59	53
Troy Boro.	141	143	174	111	263	263	179	92
Troy Twp., 1st D.	62	60	65	52	110	108	75	36
Troy Twp., 2d D.	51	55	52	47	92	85	78	22
Tuscarora Twp., E. D.	67	18	67	19	83	82	72	10
Tuscarora Twp., W. D.	28	45	28	46	70	69	46	28
Ulster Twp., 1st D.	69	101	66	103	160	156	90	75
Ulster Twp., 2d D.	7	30	9	31	35	37	16	21
Warren Twp.	86	94	93	81	163	165	116	50
Wells Twp.	44	64	45	63	104	92	47	61
Wilmot Twp.	81	84	78	88	153	146	87	69
Windham Twp	62	68	59	64	124	123	76	50
Wyalusing Boro.	81	66	84	55	137	128	90	44
Wyalusing Twp., 1st D.	50	47	56	44	90	89	64	29
Wyalusing Twp., 2d D.	46	61	57	49	106	102	72	35
Wysox Twp., 1st D.	36	63	33	71	85	81	39	55
Wysox Twp., 2d D.	46	51	48	47	85	82	52	38
Total	4371	5559	4578	5391	9080	8521	5653	3868
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RECAPITULATION.—Governor—Edwin S. Stuart, Republicaan 4345, Citizens 26, total 4371; Lewis Emery, Democratic 3568, Lincoln Republican 1927, Commonwealth 30, Referendum 14, Union Labor 20, total 5559; Homer L. Castle, Prohibition, 431; James A. Mauver, Socialist, 115; Jno. Desmond, Socialist Labor 12. Lieutenant Governor—Robert S. Murphy, Republican, 4577; Jeremiah S. Black, Fusion, 4796; H. D. Patton, Prohibition, 485; Chas. P. Gilda, Socialist, 124; Jas. Clark, Socialist Labor, 14. Auditor General—Robt. K. Young, Republican, 4566; Wm. T. Creasy, Fusion, 5203; Edw. Moore, Socialist, 130; Wm. H. Thomas, Socialist Labor, 12. Secretary Internal Affairs—Henry Houck, Republican, 4715; John J. Green, Fusion, 4532; Geo. Hoffman, Prohibition, 476; Henry W. Kane, Socialist, 131; Jas. McConnell, Socialist Labor, 14. Congress—M. E. Lilley, Republican, 4578; Geo. W. Kipp, Democratic, 5391; G. P. Little, Prohibition, 451. Representatives—Cyrus L. Stevens, Fusion, 9080; Geo. Moscrip, Fusion, 8521; Hugh McDuffee, Socialist, 233; Henry L. Springer, Socialist, 192. Jury Commissioner—Chas. Scott, Republican, 5653; John E. Graham, Democrat, 3868; H. A. Griswold, Socialist, 196.

STRONG AND SAFE.

The quarterly reports of the Towanda banks—the First National and the Citizens' National, appear in another column and to all interested in the financial condition of these two big financial institutions, they will afford instructive reading. It is a splendid exhibit of their strength, stability and resources and, also, an impressive proof of the wealth and prosperity of the country from which they have drawn their business and accumulations.

These statements show that the deposits of the two banks amount to $1,662,182, and their loans to $1,266,197, while their total resources are over two millions—or, to be exact, $2,356,023. The growth of these banks is a signal demonstration of the wise and careful management they have had, and also of the confidence reposed in them by the people through long and prosperous careers. Both have earned good profits for their shareholders and both through the wise and liberal policy which has always been extended to their customers prove forceful factors in fostering the prosperity of our people. May their dividends never grow less.

It must be admitted that the French courts have acted handsomely. They have bee naccused of leaning very strongly toward the native when a foreigner was a party to the litigation, and the Gould millions must have given a great impetus to the traffic in "articles de Paris." A man who could get eight million American dollars and spend them in Paris in six or seven years must be an object of considerable interest to the French statesmen. But the court very handsomely gave the former Countess her liberty and her money, recognizing no claim of Boni to alimony. The American woman did not suffer any at the hands of the French Judge.

Forty years after the Civil war was ended there has been a net decrease for the fiscal year of 12,470 in the number of persons on the government pension roll. During the year 34,574 names were added to the rolls and 47,444 names dropped. Death is making steady havoc in the ranks of the grand army. Of the veterans 39,208 died during the year, leaving 666,453 survivors out of a total of 985,791 still on the pension list. From this time forward there will be an increasingly rapid thinning of the ranks. The most youthful of men who fought under McLlellan and Grant are now well advanced in years. The pension list will soon show that the widows of veterans and the pensioners of later wars outnumber the survivors of the great conflict.

The game of politics year by year becomes less worth the playing by spoilsmen. President Roosevelt's order putting deputy collectors of internal revenue in the classified service further limits the possibilities and opportunities of billeting party hacks upon the Federal civil service. The good work goes steadily on. When the time comes that the army of Federal employes in charge of the postoffices shall be drafted without reference to political inclining and retained so long as they are efficient the last great stronghold of political favoritism will have been successfully stormed.

William Barrett Ridgley, controller of the currency since 1901, is a human treasure house for hoarded romances and tragedies in money. He has been educated to this business since childhood, as his grandfather was associated with Nicholas Biddle in the old United States bank in St. Louis, and the Ridgleys have been men of wealth and power in Springfield, Ill., for 72 years.

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MORE TRADE SCHOOLS.

In several of the cities of the state, attention is just now being paid to the more thorough establishment of trade schools. The idea is a good one and should receive strong support, and when once started, the city schools might well be attended, not only be city bred boys, but by boys from the smaller towns, as Towanda, for instance.

A Berlin story is to the effect that many high dignitaries of the German government are believers in spiritualism, and are striving to attract Emperor William to their cult. If William joins the spiritualists, to keep up with the procession it may be in order for President Roosevelt to affiliate with the Chicago sun worshippers.

Three negroes were elected to office in Chicago at the recent election. One is to be a municipal judge at $6,000 a year, another was chosen county commissioner, and the third goes to the Illinois legislature. A Milwaukee negro was elected to the Wisconsin legislature.

The great dollar weekly—Reporter-Journal.

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Reporter-Journal AND BRADFORD REPUBLICAN

TOWANDA, PA., NOV. 22, 1906.

Born, Friday, Nov. 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl S. Cook, a son.

Mrs. Jennie Turner and Mrs. E. W. Rockwell spent Saturday in Williamsport.

Mrs. Freeman of Burlington, is spending a few days with Towanda friends.

Mrs. Joseph Ochs and Miss Nellie Ochs leave today for a visit to New York city.

Coke for fuel only 6c per bushel at the Gas Works. Try it. Towanda Gas company.

It will cost you nothing to look, whether you buy or not, at L. Marks's challenge sale.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Poteer of Fondu-Lac, Wis., are visiting at the home of C. Manville Pratt.

"A Romance of Coon Hollow" will be played in Hale's Opera House on Thursday evening, Nov. 22.

The R. T. B. club met with Miss Jennie Shay Tuesday evening. A pleasant time was enjoyed.

William Wheeler, a well known horseman of Moravia, was in Towanda for a day or two this week.

Charles McCracken has installed a telephone in his place of business, being conected with the Independent line.

The Bruce Underwriters' gas machine has arrived in Towanda and will be erected this week and demonstrations given.

Because he refused to permit the surgeon to amputate his hand, Alexander Brown, of a suburb of Pottsville, died of tetanus.

The photographs and poster advertising the Thanksgiving amateur theatricals displayed at Kirby's store, attract much attention.

George Wendy and Elmer Dickinson of Burlington, were among those who took the civil service examinations for R. F. D. carriers, held here on Saturday last.

Born, Monday, to Mr. and Mrs. Roland G. Porter of New Haven, Conn., a daughter. Mrs. Porter was before her marriage Miss Fannie Porter of Towanda.

The Misses Martha and Rose Hurley and Frances Case, W. C. Shelton, A. J. Burgess, Harvey Mann, and J. B. Walsh attended the dance at Sayre last Saturday evening.

Mrs. William Lynott and little son start today for Newark, N. J., where she will join her husband, who has a lucrative position there. Mrs. Lynot was formerly Miss Laura Patton of Cebu.

The afternoon musicale and reception given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gunton Tuesday was an enjoyable affair, and was attended by the society women of Towanda as well as several from out of town.

John E. Dobbins, the Troy hardware contractor, was in Towanda yesterday on business connected with the installation of the heating plant in the court house for which he had the contract.

C. A. Stewart of Wellsboro, while hunting near Antrim, killed the biggest fox seen in that vicinity in many years. It measured six feet from tip to tip. Foxes are nearly exterminated in the locality.

A mormon Disciple who gave his name as Elder Fred H. Hicken, and his residence, Hiber City, Utah, and stated that he was a representative of the Mormon doctrine, has been trying to convert the people of Wilkes-Barre into Mormonism.

"Jack" McCarthy, a local belligerent of some note, was arrested Monday upon three accounts, and waived a hearing, preferring to go before the grand jury with his troubles. He is charged with threatening the life of Special Officer Elisha Rowe, of threats to kill Special Officer Eddy, and with assault upon a one-armed man named William Lynch.

Life Studies.

The local police department is in possession of the most recent photographs of two of the Heeman brothers, Fred and Francis, taken at Athens, after their arrest several weeks ago, after the Lockwood robbery. The photographs are striking specimens of the art and portray every line in the faces of these degenerates. They would make interesting studies for students of criminology.

Stone Crusher Working.

Street Commissioner Miller has the borough stone crusher at work daily now, preparing material for street improvement in several bad spots, and to have on hand in the early Spring when the roads break from the frost.

John Williams Injured.

While engaged at his work on a machine in the plant of the Drury Manufacturing company Friday, John Williams caught his right hand in the cogs and sustained severe laceration, three fingers being badly torn.

Moving to Towanda.

D. E. Whipple, formerly of LeRoy, is moving his family to this place and has taken the house at 701 Second street. Mr. Whipple is a representative of the North Electric company of Cleveland, Ohio.

WHO CAN REMEMBER EDWIN K. RICHARDSON?

Believed to Have Died Here Some Fifteen Years Ago.

Chief of Police Miller Monday received the following self-explanatory communication:

Dear Sir:—Will you kindly give me, if possible, the exact date and facts of the death of my father, Edwin K. Richardson, Jr.? He was formerly a resident of Auburn, N. Y., and died, I understand, about 14 or 15 years ago in Towanda. Respectfully,

EDNA K. RICHARDSON,
17 Manhattan Ave., New York City.

The local authorities have no record of the name, the records in such cases not going back that far. Any Bradford county resident having information in regard to the matter may help the inquirer by communicating with Chief Miller.

FUNERAL OF PETER KROPP.

Ritual of the Odd Fellows Read at the Grave—Flowers Beautiful.

Monday afternoon from the home on Bridge street occurred the last sad rites over the remains of the late Peter Kropp, services being conducted by Rev. Herbert H. Graves of the Univarsalist church. The casket laid in front of a bank of beautiful flowers, tokens of the esteem in which Mr. Kropp was held by his friends. The home was surrounded by his friends and the orders of which he had been a member. After a short service at the home members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, the Towanda Aerie of Eagles, the Improved Order of Red Men and members of Lin-ta Hose company of which he was a charter member, followed the body to the last resting place in Oak Hill cemetery where the order of Odd Fellows took charge of the burial.

The demise of Mr. Kropp at this time seems most distressing and sad. He had worked in several stores in Towanda and was a genial, kind hearted and true friend of all in his large circle. From here he recently went to Wilkes-Barre, where his death occurred. He there had charge of a department in one of the large stores of that city, but was expecting to go to Geneva in a short time where he was to have full charge of a large store.

NEW BUILDING FOR CREAMERY.

To Be Used as Barn and Ice House—Work Being Rushed.

Russell, VanHorn & Co., are making preparations for erecting a new building on the lot of their creamery which will be used by them as a barn and ice house. For a week past men have been at work moving back a little building, used by the gas company as a tool house and getting the lot in readiness for the laying of the foundation of the building, which will cover the lot, the size of which is 24x60 feet. The building moved back will be built over and fixed up for use as a barn.

Monday the foundation was commenced and the building, the height of which has not been determined, will be erected at once to be in readiness for the first ice. The company has been to great expense for the ice used in the creamery and are erecting the building to store ice for their own use.

Junk Sellers Held to Court.

In Justice Orcutt's court Friday afternoon, Eleazer Talada and Charles alias "Piggy" Goodale, were held to the next term of court upon the charge of larceny in stealing a quantity of iron from the premises of the S. and N. Y. Railroad company, sufficient evidence being produced to leave a strong suspicion of their guilt in the minds of the authorities. A local Hebrew junk dealer was an important witness, the accused men trying to show that they had bought the iron from along the railroad line, as agents for the Towanda dealer. However, there were about a thousand pounds of old iron that could not be accounted for. "Culp" Talada was discharged being able to clear himself of the immediate charge.

Concerning Crossings.

The town council, in the opinion of many citizens and especially the ladies, might spend to good advantage a little money in keeping the Main street crossings in passable condition. The Main street pavement, or lack of pavement, is such that after being cleaned many of the crossings are again quickly covered to a depth that causes a woman to approach them in fear and trembling. They need constant attention.

One Sunday Train Discontinued.

Beginning on Sunday the train running between Towanda and Laquin on the S., and N. Y. railroad, was discontinued on Sundays. The train formerly left Towanda at 10:32 and arrived on the return trip at 2:58. The Sunday train leaving here at 3:50 will be run as usual.

Heemans Before Grand Jury.

Among the cases to be presented before the grand jury of Tioga county, New York, which convenes this week are those in which the following defendants, well known in Towanda police circles, are interested: Henry Heeman and Fred Heeman for burglary in third degree.

Thirty Days for John.

Because he made a disturbance in Martin's restaurant, John Kane was arrested by Constable Hollon and taken before Justice Meredith, pleading guilty to the charge of disorderly conduct He was given a fine of $10 or 30 days, choosing the latter alternative.

RIDES IN PULLMAN AT MUTCHLER'S EXPENSE.

Injured Italian Given Every Care by Humane Contractors.

Francisco Durande, an Italian, left the Sayre hospital at midnight Tuesday, took a Lehigh train for New York, passing Towanda at about 12:30 Wednesday morning.

Probably hundreds of Italians have done this same thing without causing the fact to be noted or commented upon. But no other Italian has left this section under the same circumstances, for Durande will go from New York to his home in Italy. He is accompanied to the port by two trained nurses, is riding in a Pullman car, and will travel in a first class cabin across the ocean. The entire expense of the trip is being born by Mutchler's Sons, the contractors who erected the Towanda bridge piers, and for whom Durande worked last Summer. While at work, he was hurt in an accident, which resulted in the paralysis of his lower limbs.

Although known to them only by a number, the managers for the Mutchlers have taken every means to render more comfortable this unfortunate laborer. At the Packer hospital he was given the best of care, no expense being spared, and now comes the free trip to Rome, and thence to his old home, where he may recuperate at his ease. The Mutchlers will receive hearty commendation for the humane treatment shown this almost helpless foreigner, for they have not only cared for his present wants, but intend to provide for his future.

TAKEN ON BAIL PIECE.

Tom Holmes Is Now in Towanda Instead of Owego Jail.

Tom Holmes is now languishing in the county jail at Towanda, in spite of the fact that he was sentenced to serve 30 days in the jail at Owego and thereby hangs a legal peculiarity.

Under the law it is impossible to take an alleged criminal from one state to another on a warrant. It is necessary to charge such a person with being a fugitive from justice and then obtain a requisition to take him to another state. But when a man is charged with a crime and has been admitted to bail, then he becomes practically the property of the man who gave the bail. When a bondsman is no longer willing to be the surety of the alleged criminal causes a bail piece to be issued, then the state boundaries no longer interfere. The alleged criminal can be taken from one state to another without the formality of a requisition.

Holmes was arrested in Waverly, charged with being drunk and disorderly and was sentenced to 30 days in the Owego jail. But at the same time Holmes was on bail in Pennsylvania to appear before the court on the charge of assaulting Mrs. Sarah Burnham, with whom he resides. The man who was Holmes's surety forfeited the bail, a bail piece was issued and Holmes was taken from the hands of the New York officers and taken to the Towanda jail for safe keeping.

Fines Imposed.

"Peeny" Johnson, from the First ward, and a stranger, named John T. Tobin, appeared before Burgess Foyle Saturday morning, having been arrested the night before, and each pleaded guilty to the respective charges against them. Johnson paid a fine of $4 for being drunk and disorderly; Tobin, who was only plainly drunk, paid a dollar less. There seemed to be something in the atmosphere on Saturday nights that causes many to use loud language and create a disturbance on the streets, although there were only two unfortunates before Burgess Foyle Sunday morning. Charles and Newman Vanderpool were arrested at the Salvation Army hall for being drunk and disorderly and were given a fine of $5 or 20 days in jail, but as they only had five cents between them they were taken up to the stone house.

S. and N. Y. Raises Wages.

Effective Dec. 1, the Susquehanna and New York Railroad company will grant a substantial increase in wages to their trainmen in all classes of train service. This order affects several men well known in Towanda, and is made because of efficient service in caring for the increasing business of the road.

Sayre Girl to Wed.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Nellie, daughter of D. L. Field of Sayre, and Andrew Cameron Hyers of Ithaca, the ceremony to take place at he home of the bride's father on the afternoon of Nov. 20.

Lehigh Valley Agent Transferred.

Will Dixon, who was the Lehigh Valley agent in Ulster for several years, has been transferred to the agency of the same company at Laceyville, leaving Ulster last week to assume his new duties. He was succeeded by George Forrest.

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TOWANDA TOOK ANOTHER FROM SAYRE ELEVEN.

Reliance Team Lost Good Game With Local High School Saturday.

On a field partly covered with snow and slush and very muddy the Towanda High school eleven downed Sayre Reliance team Saturday afternoon by a score of 11 to 0.

In the first half Towanda kicked off to Sayre from the 50 yard line and Sayre brought the ball back to the 40 yard line where a tackle by Samons downed the runner. After several plays both sides having the ball Towanda forced the Sayre team back within five yards of their goal. Strong missed the catch and Dickerson by a nice run brought it back to the 50 yard line where he was downed, just as time in first half finished, neither side scoring.

In the second half Sayre kicked off to Towanda and again the Sayre team was almost steadily forced back to their goal. When on the 20 yard line Sayre attempted to kick again, but the ball was blocked by Hall and as it rolled over the Sayre line D. Smith fell on it making the first touchdown. Low kicked the goal. Sayre kicked off again, Vought catching the ball but was downed by a tackle by Johnson. Then after holding the ball was downed by a tackle by Johnson. Then after holding Towanda for some time Sayre was forced back to their goal and over the line, although Towanda nearly lost the ball on a fumble, but Holmes succeeded in falling on the ball, making the second touchdown. Goal was not kicked. In the 20 seconds left the ball remained in the center of the neld, second half ended with a score of 11 to nothing in favor of Towanda. Sayre played a good game, but was outplayed by Towanda.

This is the second game this season won from the Reliance team.

The line-up of the elevens was as follows:

Sayre—Carpenter, left end; Holt, left tackle; Munn, left guard; Stamonds, center; O'Brien, right guard; Langley, right tackle; Johnson, right end; Gorman, right halfback; Granger, fullback; Keyes, left halfback; Smith, quarterback; substitutes, Evans, Davis.

Towanda—Piolett, left end; D. Smith, left tackle; Hall, left guard; Cox, center; R. Smith, right guard; Samons, right tackle; Holmes, right end; Strong, left halfback; Low, fullback; Vought, right halfback; Dickerson, quarterback.

Referee, J. Ayres; time keepers, Low and Mayer; head lineman, Fairchild.

Towanda plays the Tunkhannock High school team at Wyalusing next Saturday.

Some Other Games.

Yale and Princeton played a remarkable tie game; Cornell beat Swarthmore, 28 to 0; Pennsylvania beat Michigan at Philadelphia, 17 to 0; the Carlisle Indians beat Minnesota, at Minneapolis, 17 to 0; at Williamsport, Penn. State College won over Dickinson, 6 to 0; Binghamton High beat Syracuse High, 6 to 0.

County Heating Plant Started.

After an inspection of the heating plant installed in the basement of the Bradford county court house, the commissioners Thursday ordered the fires lighted under the boilers, and the court house, the jail and the old court house are now heated in a proper manner, the ventilation and distribution of steam working in a perfectly satisfactorily way. The change from the public steam heating system to the private plant has been accomplished with little disturbance to the office holders in the court house, and reflects credit upon all who have had the matter in charge.

Large Lamp Starts Small Blaze.

An alarm of fire at 5:30 o'clost Friday evening called the department to Bridge street, but the services of the hosemen were not needed. The blaze was located in the small building once known as the bridge toll house, now owned by Mrs. Barnes of the Tidd House, and occupied by Charles Stark, who conducts a small store in the place. The fire is supposed to have started from a large lamp the heat from which ignited the roof. Buckets of water applied by neighbors soon ended the excitement.

Horses Drove to Death.

A letter was received Saturday by Guy C. Hollon from S. S. Stanley, the Tyrone liveryman who was in Towanda a few weeks ago looking for his stolen team, saying that after bringing them home from Ohio where they were found, one of the horses although very carefully nursed, a veterinarian calling twice a day, died from the hard usage it had received by the thief, eight days after reaching home. Harry Sheets, the thief, now languishes in the Tyrone jail, awaiting his trial.

Population of Ralston.

The Dushore Review says: Having heard repeated inquiries about the population of Ralston, to answer which there was no statistical basis, the school boys of the town betook themselves to the task of computation. A house to house canvas was instituted, and the results are hereby submitted: There are 1,047 citizens in the town proper. In the suburban villages, Redburn and Marsh Hill there are 247 and 200 residents respectively.

Rummage Sale Successful.

The Towanda Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sayre hospital report very gratifying results from the rummage sale which was held last week here in Towanda. The total receipts of the sale amounted to $135.44.

POLICE OFFICERS RECOVER RAILROAD'S PROPERTY.

S. and N. Y. Officials Seek Aid in Catching Junk Thieves.

Having suffered in silence, patiently overlooking numerous offences, the management of the S. & N.Y. has finally determined to begin a crusade against wholesale stealing of scrap iron from their premises. Constable Guy C. Hollon and Chief of Police Miller of this place, were called into service last week, with the result that Eleazer Talada, of Towanda, is in jail, warwarrants were issued and served on Thursday upon Casper Talada and Harry, alias Piggy Goodale of Athens, and the company has recovered a load of junk valued at about $150.

General Manager Newman is understood to have issued orders to arrest and prosecute to the limit of the law any persons found guilty of this form of thievery from the S. and N. Y. The company has for several months suffered the loss of car wheels, journals and all kinds of railroad iron and even other kinds of property. It is now proposed by the officials to put an end to these lawless depredations by the enforcement of severe measures.

Talada's hearing was set down for Friday morning, before 'Squire Meredith. The other suspects will be brought at once to Towanda. A large part of the junk was found to have been sold to a local dealer.

D. A. R. Honors Mrs. McClean.

At the state conference of the Daughters of the Revolution, at which Mrs. John W. Codding of Towanda, represents the George Clymer chapter, Mrs. Donald McClean, the president general, was greeted with exceptional honors on Wednesday, upon her arrival at Clearfield, where the conference is in session. She was met at the doors by the officers of the local chapter and a dozen young women in white, acting as pages, each carrying a large flag. As the distinguished visitor entered the hall the entire assemblage arose, and, with small flags in each hand, sang "The Star Spangled Banner." The scene was decidedly pretty and unique. The present state secretary and treasurer, Miss Emma L. Crowell of Oak Lane, and Mrs. William DeB. Brusstar, Birdsboro, were unanimously re-elected by a rising vote, and the state regent announced the appointment of Mary I. Stille of Chester chapter, as state historian, in accordance with the action of the conference established at that office.

Junior Nature Club.

The West Hill Junior Nature club, No. 1454, of Cornell University, have been awarded the prizes for the year. The prizes were books, presented by their president, Mrs. Armelia L. Colwell. Those winning prizes this year were: Ethel M. Ayers, George Sydney, Hovey Sydney, Alice Sturdevant, Helen Besely, Hazel Sturdevant, Stephen Besley, Damon Besley, Cecile Smith, Levi Colwell. She gave also to Ethel M. Ayers another book for having done seven years' complete work. Prof. John W. Spencer of Cornell University, wrote Ethel a very nice letter commending the fine work done by her. Other members of the club have done good work, who did not win prizes. The club starts off on its eighth year of work with bright prospects for a busy and profitable year of work.

Roads Bad; Supervisors Pay Fines.

A verdict which wil have wide effect in Pennsylvania, was returned in criminal court at Washington, Pa., Wednesday, when J. A. Lindslay, Daniel A. Grimes and R. W. Crothers, road supervisors of Blaine township, were found guilty of maintaining a nuisance in failing to keep their roads in good repair. They were fined $10 each and ordered by the court to make immediate repairs to the roads or stand liable to contempt proceedings. The supervisors claimed that to keep the roads in condition would require an exorbitant tax levy.

No More Moonlight.

Dushore is now an electrically illuminated municipality. The electric light were turned on for the first time Tuesday evening, and were a complete success from the start. The streets were brilliantly lighted, and the business places that have been wired for lights were fairly ablaze. The electric lights are a grand success.—Dushore Review.

Always at Work.

Several weeks ago a supposed-to-be agent visited different sections in near-by counties and took orders for tea, offering a set of dishes with a $4.40 order. He sold his wares to many of the ladies, getting the money. The dishes were to be delivered the first of this month, but he has not shown up yet.

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MESSENGER MURDER WILL HAVE CONSIDERATION.

Two Italians Now in Jail Await Grand Jury's Decision.

Among the criminal cases prepared for the consideration of the grand ury which began its deliberations here Monday is that of the two Italians arrested at Athens upon suspicion of being connected with the death of Eugene Messenger, the American Bridge company's night engineer, whose body, fearfully cut, was found in the boiler room of the Athens plant early last Fall. The district attorney of Bradford county has been at work on the case, but the result of his investigations are not to be divulged.

Attorney L. T. Hoyt is named as counsel for the Italians, and a report Monday is to the effect that he was in possession of evidence that might serve to clear the two foreigners of any connection with the crime.

Mechanics Leaving Sayre.

The increase of ten per cent. in wages granted by the Pennsylvania Railroad company to all employees earning under $200 per month has had an effect in Sayre. Several machinists have left the Lehigh Valley shops to enter the Altoona shops. This would make little difference but for the fact that the shops are already short of mechanics and with the prevalent wage scale there is but small inducement for mechanics to go there.

Will Go to Superior Court.

Among the Bradford county lawyers who have cases in the superior court, which is to convene this week in Philadelphia are R. A. Mercur, William Maxwell, Lilley & Wilson, L. T. Hoyt of Athens, and H. F. Maynard, Athens. Attorney Wilson will argue his first case in this court.

Tioga Jurors Have Heeman's Now.

Court week in Owego began yesday morning, and among the few criminal cases to come before the grand jury are those of the Heeman brothers, of Towanda, accused of burglarizing the store of Bingham Brothers of Lockwood.

MEMORIAL COMMITTEES NAMED.

Judge Fanning Names Men to Draft and Present Resolutions.

W. E. Lane, Edward Walker, and John W. Mix have been appointed by Judge Fanning as a committee to prepare a suitable memorial to be presented to the court on the death of the late Hon. Hon. Chauncey S. Russell, the last surviving associate judge of Bradford county.

John C. Ingham, William Maxwell and Stephen H. Smith are appointed a committee to prepare a suitable memorial to be presented to the court on the death of James Wood, Esq., a member of the Bradford county bar.

Capias in Trespass.

Papers in a trespass suit were filed with Prothonotary W. G. Gordon on Monday, in which Ephriam B. Rought, of Rome township, claims that from his farm John Trowbridge took without the knowledge or consent of Rought a number of head of stock as well as produce and other property. Through his attorneys, Lilley & Wilson, Rought therefore demands the issuance of capias in trespass, returnable on the first Monday in December.

Fire Proof Coaches.

The Pennsylvania railroad has decided to call for bids for the construction of 100 all-steel, non-inflammable passenger cars. This will be the first lot of such equipment to be built, in accordance with the company's intention to build no more wooden cars. The decision on this point was hastened by the building of the New York tunnel, through which the company will not run anything but absolutely fire-proof cars.

A Family Quarrel Settled.

Justice John Meredith's court was the scene Saturday afternoon of the trial of a petty case, in which William Miller charged his sister-in-law, Mrs. Avery Russell, with assault upon his wife, her sister, Mrs. Polly Miller. The case seems to have grown out of a general family disagreement, and resulted after the evidence was taken, in the discharge of the defendant.

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60-lbs., Sq. top, with scoop,	3.25	" " "	2.10

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HARRIMAN PROTESTS

Declares Railroads Should Have More Power, Not Less.

"YOU'RE WRONG," SAYS ROOT

Transportation Magnates Won't Give the People a Square Deal Unless the Government Forces Them To—Debate at Kansas City Banquet.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 20.—The most interesting feature of the Commercial club banquet was announced beforehand, it being Edward H. Harriman's criticism of government regulation of railroads and Secretary of State Root's vigorous reply.

Mr. Harriman in his address said: "I saw in the papers that President Hill of the Great Northern in an address before the commercial bodies of Chicago said that the country needs 100,000 miles more of railway. I feel sure Mr. Hill was misquoted. Two men now here who heard his speech confirm me in that belief. As they understood it and as he probably said the railroads need sidings, terminals and double tracks equal to 100,000 miles of new railways.

"In his speech in Harrisburg recently President Roosevelt said that the executive and legislative departments of the government should be given additional power to deal with public organizations.

"If we are going to continue to prosper, the power which President Roosevelt desires added to the government I hope will be added to the other organizations. I hope that some of it will come our way. It is impossible for a railway company or large organization to carry on its business properly if the people are constantly criticising and suspecting. In the Union Pacific company no one man says what the company will or will not do. I am untiring only because I must be on hand to hear conferences and try to bring a body of men to one conclusion. It is not easy if you always have to turn to the legal department and find whether you may or may not.

Harriman Addresses Root.

Here Mr. Harriman paused and turned to Secretary Root, who sat two seats rearward.

"It is often important to a city or country whether we develop a territory," Mr. Harriman continued, "or leave it dormant.

"Often we cannot give development a start because of the action of certain people for political prestige. I believe there is to be a change of attitude which soon is to be felt. The people are coming to believe in Americanism, and that means fair play."

Secretary Root accepted Mr. Harriman's challenge promptly and prefaced his prepared speech by saying: "I desire to make a few remarks in answer to Mr. Harriman. Mr. Harriman, I believe, would have us give more power to the railroads.

"The experience I gained from a knowledge of railroad business in the state of Missouri at a time when the railroads were competing for business led me to believe that the just means of regulating traffic and railway affairs is through the railways themselves. I believe that it is just to say that a wise law would be one that would force the railroads to combine in keeping the law—a law that would prevent the railroads from breaking the law.

Government Must Keep Roads Straight.

"I repeat that the best regulation can be brought about by the railroads themselves if they will only do it. Their power, Mr. Harriman, should be supplemented by governmental control, such as would prevent them from doing wrong.

"Doubtless a railway by special compensation or special rates can hope to build up a bigger and better business. Nevertheless the privilege of the railroads in discriminating in the matter of special rates and compensations is too often abused, as we have seen.

"It is the common tendency of railroads to give advantage to the wealthy shipper against the weaker or smaller one.

"It is that tendency so often displayed—a tendency to crush the weak. For this reason I say that it is necessary, it is essential to freedom and independence, that the railroads should be held under control to prevent discrimination. The slight advantage that the railroads would gain by more power—the power that Mr. Harriman asks for—would be so greatly offset by the evil that such a proposition would not be considered a moment."

Actress Dies of Melancholia.

New York, Nov. 20.—Georgia Cayvan, a favorite actress of the old Lyceum days, who played Squire Kate in "Sweet Lavender," is dead at Sanford Hall sanitarium, Flushing, where she had been for the last seven years. Her death was due to paresis following melancholia, the result, it is said, of having been named in a scandal of which it was shown she was entirely innocent.

Thousand Passengers Fog Bound.

Philadelphia, Nov. 20.—With more than a thousand passengers on board, the American line steamship Haverford, from Liverpool for this port, has been fog bound in Delaware bay since Sunday. Among the passengers are five English schoolteachers who have been sent to this country by Sir Alfred Mosely to study educational conditions.

Wouldn't Charge Editor With Heresy.

Tulsa, I. T., Nov. 20.—The conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South rejected the recommendation of the committee on books and periodicals that a charge of heresy be filed against G. B. Winn, editor of the Nashville (Tenn.) Christian Advocate, the official organ of the church.

DEER RUNS THROUGH CITY.

Inspects Sights of Providence and Then Jumps Off Dock.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 20.—A wild deer about the size of a large St. Bernard dog rushed down from the woods into Cathedral square, where he charged through two plate glass windows.

He then ran down one of the city's principal streets and jumped off a wharf into the Providence river. Two oystermen captured the animal after a lively race.

Killed by a Rooster's Spur.

Lockport, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Frederick Bolton, sixty-five years old, came to his death in a peculiar manner. Recently he went to his barn to secure a chicken, which he intended to kill for dinner. He caught one of them, and as he attempted to leave the chicken yard a large Plymouth Rock rooster jumped at him and struck him on the arm with its spur. Blood poison set in, and two days after he died.

Rats Use $150 to Build Nest.

Bloomfield, N. J., Nov. 20.—In tearing down a partition in the home of Jacob Zimmerer, East Passaic avenue, workmen found a rats' nest that had been made of pieces of one, two, five and ten dollar bills. The rats had taken the bills from the savings of Mrs. Zimmerer which she kept on a shelf in a cupboard. The nest cost $150.

Buck Amuck In Jewelry Store.

New London, Conn., Nov. 20.—A three-year-old buck butted through the window of a jewelry store here, scattered pins, rings, watches and brooches about, then backed out and scampered into a delicatessen store, knocking the proprietor off his feet.

Deer "Trees" Train Crew.

New York, Nov. 20.—While making up a freight train a crew in front of Idle Hour, N. Y., was attacked by one of William K. Vanderbilt's deer and, climbing to the top of a car in the nick of time, remained there until a poacher shot the animal.

ABANDONS SINCLAIR UTOPIA

Yale Student Tires of Tending Furnace at Helicon Hall.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 20.—"Yale looks good to me again," said Harry S. Lewis, who left Upton Sinclair's communistic colony at Helicon Hall and very quietly and unexpectedly returned here, throwing up the task of firing the furnace plant at night.

Only six weeks ago Lewis departed from Yale to cast his fortunes with the socialistic colony. He will now resume his studies as a member of Yale's senior class. He became ill through the hard work of the night fireman job.

Black Hand Bomb in Buffalo.

Buffalo, Nov. 20.—Four men believed to be members of the Black Hand society at 5 o'clock in the morning exploded a stick of dynamite on the doorstep of the store of Dominico Ballissimo, a wealthy butcher at 140 Canal street. No one was injured, but the front of the brick building was badly shattered. The doors were blown into the interior of the store, and all the glass in the front of the building was broken. Frenzied Italians from many houses ran into the street.

Killed by Chicago Skyscrapers.

Chicago, Nov. 20.—Chicago skyscrapers during the last year exacted the heaviest toll of human life recorded in the history of building operations in the city. Figures compiled in the annual death roll of the Bridge and Structural Ironworkers' union show that of a total membership in the union of 1,358 men nearly 156 lost their lives or were totally or partially disabled as a result of their hazardous occupations.

Declaration Signer Disinterred.

Edenton, N. C., Nov. 20.—The body of James Wilson of Pennsylvania, who, with fifty-five other American patriots, signed the Declaration of Independence, was disinterred from its long resting place here preparatory to being sent to Philadelphia, where on Thursday it will be deposited in Christ church burial ground.

Dr. Gillette's Indictment Upheld.

New York, Nov. 20.—Justice Greenbaum denied five motions made to set aside the indictments against Dr. Walter R. Gillette, a former vice president of the Mutual Life Insurance company. Motions on behalf of Robert A. Grannis, the other indicted officer of the company, will be submitted.

Woman Wants to Electrocute Man.

Columbus, O., Nov. 20.—Mrs. Martha Gibbons, matron at a police station here, wants to turn on the electric current that will execute Frank Castor, who killed a policeman. Mrs. Gibbons' association with policemen has brought her to sympathize deeply with them in their dangerous work.

France Bars American Ham.

Paris, Nov. 20.—The elimination of the microscopic examination of pork from the new American meat inspection regulations has resulted in a preliminary decision on the part of the French customs authorities barring American ham, bacon, canned pork, etc.

Died Because Daughter Killed Husband

Lyons, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Mrs. Mary Woobey, mother of Porter Woobey, who was stabbed to death by his wife last February, died of nervous prostration resulting from excitement over the trial of young Mrs. Woobey, which was to have begun this week.

Four Trains Stalled In Snow.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 20.—As a result of a snowstorm four overland trains on the Rock Island's El Paso division are stalled in the cuts between Bucklin and Liberal, Kan.

TROUSSEAU IN COURT

Grace Brown's Wedding Clothes Shown to Jury at Herkimer.

LETTERS TO GILLETTE READ

Audience Weeps When It Hears Unfortunate Girl's Pleas to Man Not to Desert Her — Prisoner's Eyes Fill With Tears.

Herkimer, N. Y., Nov. 20. — Grace Brown's wedding clothes, which were made by friends and neighbors for the girl who went to a watery grave in Big Moose lake on the very day she planned to go to the altar as the bride of Chester E. Gillette, were shown in court, where Gillette is on trial charged with responsibility for her death. From the girl's trunk, which was recovered at Fulton Chain, were taken several garments that composed her wedding trousseau. They were identified as the garments prepared for her at home before her clandestine departure to the Adirondack mountains.

Gillette's uncle, N. H. Gillette, shook hands with the prisoner in the courtroom. It was their first meeting since the young man's arrest.

Weeps Over Love Letters.

For the first time since the trial began Gillette appeared deeply affected. Forty letters which had passed between him and Grace Brown were read by the district attorney, and as he heard the familiar words repeated the prisoner's eyes filled with tears. Many other persons in the crowded courtroom wept audibly as the letters were read. The parents and sisters of the dead girl were present. The letter read first was from Gillette to Grace Brown. It was written in 1905 while she was home on a vacation. The letter was addressed to "Billy" Brown, and in it Gillette said he did not know how he could get through a week without her.

In a letter written by Grace last July she pleaded with Gillette to go to South Otselic and take her away. She said in the letter that she feared Gillette was planning to desert her, and she threatened to go to Cortland and expose him if he did not keep his promise to make her his wife.

Thought She Would Die Soon.

Reference to "another girl" was made in another letter, and she pleaded with him to be true to her. She wrote that she probably would be dead before long and that he then would be rid of her.

Harriet Benedict of Cortland denied on the stand that she was Chester Gillette's sweetheart.

"He never called on me," said Miss Benedict, referring to Gillette, "and he never was at my house except to escort me." She did not go near the prisoner, whose eyes were filled with tears produced by the reading of Grace Brown's letters.

ENGLAND ENVIOUS.

Thinks Kaiser Has Too Much Influence With President Roosevelt.

London, Nov. 20.—The Westminster Gazette in a leading article urges the government to select a man of supreme ability for the post of British ambassador at Washington. The paper declares that Great Britain's former influence and prestige at Washington have been usurped by the German embassy, adding that the relations between the president and the German ambassador are of the most intimate character and that Mr. Roosevelt is in more close and more confidential communication with Emperor William than any other ruler or any statesman in Europe.

Continuing, the Westminster Gazette asserts that these relations, influenced by the Algeciras conference, may bear further fruit in other and more distant spheres and "clearly it is a time when the British embassy should be in the hands of no ordinary man."

No names are mentioned, but the tendency of the article is toward the selection of Lord Curzon of Kedleston, Admiral Lord Charles Beresford or some notable figure in public life outside the regular ranks of diplomacy.

KEEPER ESCAPED LUNATIC.

Ran Away From One Asylum and Got Job In Another.

New York, Nov. 20.—When Joseph Schroeder applied to Dr. Lamb, superintendent of the State Hospital For Insane Criminals at Matteawan for a position as attendant the doctor thought that Schroeder would make a model keeper and straightway hired him. He was a well built man and seemed to be above the average intellectually.

In his new uniform Schroeder carried his head high and acted like a man who had had years of experience in handling the insane. He made such a hit with Dr. Lamb that other attendants got envious.

But Schroeder took an afternoon off last week, and he rolled back ugly and intoxicated. Dr. Lamb discharged him.

According to custom, Dr. Lamb wrote to other state asylums warning them against employing Schroeder. He received a letter from the asylum at Amityville, N. Y., stating that Schroeder was a patient who had escaped from that institution. The man has disappeared.

Tornado Wrecks Whole Town.

Gadsden, Ala., Nov. 20.—A tornado struck the little town of Henneger, in Dekalb county, Sunday morning at daybreak, and not a building was left standing. Fifteen stores and houses were reduced to splinters. Henneger is twelve miles from the nearest railroad station. No fatalities are reported.

GRABS BURGLAR BY HAIR.

Woman Holds Intruder Fast Until Police Arrive.

New York, Nov. 20.—Fastening her fingers in the hair of a burglar, Mrs. Mary Kaiser, a widow, who keeps a cigar store at 161 Wyckoff avenue, Williamsburg, held the man until her eleven-year-old daughter, Mary, brought the police.

Mrs. Kaiser and her daughter were asleep when a noise awakened them. Mrs. Kaiser lighted a candle and went to investigate. Her daughter was afraid to remain alone and followed her.

As the candle lighted up the kitchen the burglar was seen crouching near a window. He tried to dive out of the window. Mrs. Kaiser darted after him and grabbed him by the hair. The burglar yelled with pain. Mrs. Kaiser pulled him to the floor and held on with all her strength.

The child rushed, screaming, from the store in her nightclothes and brought a policeman. When he entered the kitchen all was dark, as the candle had been extinguished. He could hear the burglar cursing as he tried to release Mrs. Kaiser's fingers from his hair. The man and woman rolled about the floor, knocking over chairs and tables.

The officer tried to drag the burglar off, but the man was so enraged that he would not let go her throat. The policeman pounded the burglar on the head with his club until he sank to the floor senseless.

BANDITS IN BAY STATE.

Masked Highwaymen Get Much Booty From W. S. Lincoln Estate.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 20.—Alfred Brigham and Douglass C. Cook were held up near Willow Farm, the Winslow S. Lincoln country home, robbed of several thousand dollars' worth of valuables and a horse and wagon stolen by three masked men armed with five revolvers.

Telephone messages were sent to police headquarters for aid, and the wagon sent on the trail of the highwaymen. They were overtaken at the entrance to the Lincoln estate and chased for half a mile before headed.

Patrolman E. J. McCarthy leaped to the bridle of the horse, drawing his revolver, only to look into the muzzles of two guns in the hands of Harry Ellis of Brockton. The officers won, and Ellis surrendered. Ellis' two companions bolted into Beaver Brook swamp, followed by Patrolmen Thomas P. Carey and Gustaf Fynberg, and exchanged a rapid volley of shots. One of Fynberg's shots is thought to have taken effect. The men escaped.

TO PROBE FRISCO INSURANCE

Metcalf Directs Investigation of Payment of Quake Claims.

Washington, Nov. 20. — Secretary Metcalf of the department of commerce and labor has directed the commissioner of corporations to make an investigation of the action of fire insurance companies in the settlement of claims for losses resulting from the earthquake and fire in San Francisco and other places in California. George E. Butler of Ross, Cal., has been appointed special agent to conduct this investigation in California.

Mr. Butler, it is stated, has had an experience of thirty-eight years in the fire insurance business on the Pacific coast.

Morgan Gave Republicans $1,000.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 20.—The New York county Republican committee certified to the secretary of state that it received $110,113.74 and spent $103,732.70 during the recent campaign. Among the contributors were: John D. Rockefeller, Jr., $200; J. Pierpont Morgan, $1,000; Morris K. Jesup, $700; Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr., $10; James B. Ford, $2,500; R. Fulton Cutting, $150; unknown, $2,500; John Jacob Astor, $1,000; treasurer Republican state committee, $40,000.

French Priests Smoke Out Soldiers.

Paris, Nov. 20.—Although more resistance was reported in the taking of church inventories, no grave incident occurred, and in only one case, at Villelongue-de-la-Salangue, where the clericals had been standing guard for two days, were the authorities balked. When the soldiers battered down the doors of the church at Villelongue-de-la-Salangue they were driven out by sulphur fumes, and the prefect was compelled to postpone taking the inventory.

Hannah Elias Beats John R. Platt.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 20.—The court of appeals handed down a decision affirming the judgment of the appellate division, first department, which dismissed the appeal of John R. Platt from a decision denying his demand for the restitution of about $684,000 by Hannah Elias. The case was one of great notoriety some months ago, Mrs. Elias, a negress, having been, as Platt admitted in court, the recipient of large gifts at his hands.

College Boys Charged With Burglary.

Waterbury, Conn., Nov. 20.—Six Trinity college students who were in the city in connection with the Trinity freshmen banquet were arrested here for entering the West End depot. They are charged with burglary. Five of the students gave the following names: James Parry, James Edsall, Joseph Grove, William Cross, William Oliver. The name of the sixth could not be learned.

Taft Reprieves Negro Battalion.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Secretary Taft on his own responsibility instructed the military secretary, General Ainsworth, to telegraph to Fort Reno directing that the execution of the president's order to dismiss three negro companies of the Twenty-fifth regiment be stopped until Mr. Roosevelt's return or until he has been communicated with.

TOM COOPER KILLED

Famous Bicyclist the Victim of Automobile Accident.

MALE COMPANION ALSO DEAD

Two Women Who Were With Them In Central Park Collision Badly Hurt—One May Die—The Other Believed to Be Cooper's Wife.

New York, Nov. 20.—Tom Cooper, the well known bicyclist and automobilist, was instantly killed in an automobile accident in Central park. While riding at full speed on the drive in the park with Miss Virginia Leavitt of Jersey City, Miss Helen Lambert of this city and Daniel Barkalow, a Paterson broker, his automobile ran into an empty automobile standing still on the drive awaiting a supply of gasoline. Cooper was hurled twenty feet and struck upon his head.

Barkalow and the two women were taken to Roosevelt hospital, where Barkalow died. Miss Lambert is still in the hospital and in a very critical condition. Her skull is fractured, her right arm broken, and it is said by the house physician that she has a very slender chance of recovering.

Miss Leavitt was not seriously injured and was taken from the hospital by four women friends. One of the four women who drove away with the Leavitt woman was heard to say to her:

"I am afraid your husband is the worst hurt of all."

From this remark the police infer that Cooper and the Leavitt woman had been secretly married, for the cyclist had not made any announcement of a wedding.

The collision was one of the most terrible in the history of the park. The impact was terrific, the flying machine being turned over and the occupants tossed in all directions.

Voting Machines Disappoint Elmira.

Elmira, N. Y., Nov. 20.—The common council unanimously adopted a resolution calling upon the mayor to appoint a committee of five to investigate the advisability of throwing out the voting machines and returning to the paper ballot system of voting in this city. Allegations that the machines did not properly record the votes cast at the last election have been freely made, and an effort will be undertaken to secure a court order to open the machines.

Stubbed Toe and Broke His Neck.

New York, Nov. 20.—It is the belief of the police of the East Twenty-second street station that stubbing his toe led to the death of Michael Keegan, forty years old, of 222 East Twenty-seventh street. Keegan lived on the second floor of the flathouse. John J. Scott, another tenant of the house, stumbled over Keegan's body at the foot of the stairs. Keegan's neck was broken.

Anarchists Threaten the Pope.

Rome, Nov. 20.—The pope has received personal letters containing threats that he will be assassinated in the Apostolic palace as a protest against the present organization of society. The anarchists, it is added, are ready to employ every means to destroy all institutions supported by religious or by military forces.

Japanese Finger Napkins.

The Japanese have a picturesque improvement on finger bowls. At the conclusion of the repast a tiny basket, woven of exquisite straw and in ornamental design, is placed before each guest. This basket contains a filmy, satiny, paper napkin, printed with apple blossoms, chrysanthemums, irises or some other attractive design, and twisted lightly into a flower-like shape. Before being placed in the basket the napkin has been slightly dampened with perfumed water, the scent corresponding with the design, and this napkin the guest uses instead of dipping the hands in water.

Country Libraries.

The usefulness of urban libraries has been proved up to the hilt, but the question arises why similar advantages cannot be supplied in rural districts. As a matter of fact, they are more needed in the country than in the towns. The dullness of country life is constantly bewailed, and it can be readily believed that a young agricultural laborer or a young woman brought up in the country would be very glad to have the chance of the wide choice of books which their cousins in town enjoy.—Bristol Press.

A New York Jeweler.

There had been a difference of opinion as to whether the bill had been paid. It resulted in favor of the customer, and the collector from the jewelry establishment on Fifth avenue called to apologize. "Perhaps you will be willing to pardon the mistake," he said, "if you knew how many accounts we have on our books. There are 60,000 of them, and we are sometimes likely therefore to make a mistake."—New York Sun.

Too Big a Mouthful.

Office Boy—What name, please? Foreign Visitor—Herr Schwartselburghhausenmastergeschaftsmongosmanteufel. Office Boy—You'll have to call again, sir. The office closes in five minutes, and I shan't have time to pronounce your name before the boss is gone.—Bon Vivant.

A Broad Distinction.

"Perhaps," said the clerk, "you'd like to look at goods a little more expensive than these." "Not necessarily," replied the shopper, "but I would like to look at some of better quality."—Philadelphia Press.

THE WAILING WOMAN.

A Queer Old Legend of the City of Mexico.

As is generally known, senor, many bad things are met with at night in the streets of the city, but this wailing woman, La Llorona, is the very worst of them all. She is worse by far than the Vaca de Lumbre, that at midnight comes forth from the potrero of San Sebastian and goes galloping through the streets like a blazing whirlwind, breathing forth from her nostrils smoke and flames, because the fiery cow, senor, while a dangerous animal to look at, really does nobody any harm, and La Llorona is as harmful as she can be.

Seeing her walking along quietly—at the times when she is not running and shrieking for her lost children—she seems a respectable person, only odd looking because of her white skirt and the white reboso with which her head is covered, and anybody might speak to her. But whoever does speak to her in that very same moment dies!

No one who has stopped her to talk with her ever has lived to tell what happens at that terrible encounter, but it is generally known that what does happen is this: Slowly she turns toward the one who has spoken, and slowly she opens the folds of her white reboso, and then is seen a bare grinning skull set fast to a bare skeleton, and from her fleshless jaws comes one single icy cold breath that freezes into instant death whoever feels it. After that, shrieking again for her lost children, she rushes onward, the white gleam of her gashing the darkness, and in the morning the one who spoke to her is found lying dead there with a look of despairing horror frozen fast in his dead eyes.

What is most wonderful is that she is seen in the same hour by different people in places widely apart, one seeing her hurrying across the atrium of the cathedral, another beside the Arcos de San Cosme and a third near the Salto del Augua, over by the prison of Belen, and all in the very same moment of time.

She is so generally known, senor, and so greatly feared that nowadays few people stop her to speak with her, and that is fortunate. But her loud, keen wailings and the sound of her running feet are heard often and especially on nights of storm. I myself have heard them, senor, but I have never seen her. God forbid that I ever shall!—Thomas A. Janvier in Harper's.

Tombstones to the Living.

"To a stranger the erection of a tombstone to a living person seems rather ghastly, but it's the custom in some New England villages," said the traveling man. "I was collecting quaint epitaphs for a magazine article, and, after I had put up my motor car on my arrival in a villige, I would go staightway to the cemetery on an epitaph hunt. There I would find, set up in lot after lot, tombstones of living people. Each stone would contain the name and the date of birth. Ghastly, wasn't it? I met a pretty girl in a hotel in New Hampshire. She was the landlord's daughter. She showed me her stone in the cemetery. The last name was left blank in her case. 'I may marry, you know,' she explained."—New York Press.

Charging Was In His Line.

A party of gentlemen sitting on the veranda of a leading hotel at Jackson, N. H., fell into an amiable discussion of their delightful host, who bore high military title and who won his military spurs on the staff of a New Hampshire governor. One of them asked, "Did he get his title from service in the defense of his country?" And the reply, from a retired army officer was, "He must have, for he has not forgotten how to charge."

SIMPLE MEDICINES.

Remedies That May Be Found In Nature's Drug Stores.

If chemists and druggists disappeared from the face of the earth humanity could still worry along with the simple remedies which nature yields, practically ready made. There is nothing to beat rhubarb juice as a cure for gout or rheumatism except water from medicinal springs. All kinds of scurvy and blood poisoning yield to the juice of lemons or of limes, which are the greatest blood purifiers in existence. Even doctors acknowledge that natural, fresh cream from cows' milk can give points to cod liver oil and similar nasty liquids in treating consumption. Common mustard used as a plaster or poultice is the best cure for a cold on the chest, and the white of an egg with sugar is the finest medicine for hoarseness. To cure a burn an application of the white skin that lines the shell of an egg is unbeatable, while the raw yolk is a capital tonic. In fact, gardens and roadsides are full of herbs of which the juice or leaves afford remedies or palliatives for almost every disease to which humanity is heir.—New York Mail.

Luminous Centipeds.

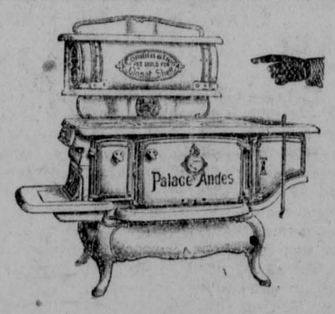
Lizard, snake and natural electric light plant all rolled into one—this is the luminous centiped, one of the most interesting creatures in nature. It is about one and a quarter inches long and covered with short hairs. Its body is very narrow and appears to be in sections. In consequence of this peculiar formation the creature appears to move sidewise except when frightened. Then the natural electric light plant feature appears, and, with an almost instantaneous wavelike motion, beginning at the tail, the color of the reptile changes from orange to a greenish phosphorescent shade. Then, sparkling with a tiny streak of green light, the creature darts away to a place of refuge. When one of the pair is in search of its mate, the color grows a bright yellow, but at will the centiped can resume its darker color, and then, if lying close to the grain of a piece of wood, is hardly noticeable.

A Hundred Course Dinner.

At a dinner given by the late Prince Ratibor there were a hundred courses. The chefs of the prince were solemnly chosen after the greatest deliberation and cross examination. On one special occasion it was announced that he was in need of a cook, and ten of the best chefs duly presented themselves for the coveted post. They were informed by the prince that each must serve a dinner of his own choice and cooking, consisting of ten courses, to be served the same evening to a jury of the best gastronomes in Paris, who would eat of each different dish and then pass judgment. This programme was carried out and the palm awarded to a Frenchman who had been chef for many years to the Baron Haussman. A trip to Marienbad by the whole of the jury was the sequel to this famous dinner of 100 courses.—London Tit-Bits.

Don't Worry; Smile.

Centenarians give various reasons to which they ascribe their longevity, but it is significant that they all agree on the advantage of plenty of work and little worry in aiding length of life. The advice lately given by a woman over a hundred is worth considering, as she advises one to eat when hungry, sleep when sleepy, with plenty of sleep, to work constantly, keep cheerful and avoid worry. This puts in a few words the doctrine of the simple life, and her conclusion is worthy of an ancient sage when she says that if these rules will not produce health and long life there is bad blood in the family and it had better die out.—Baltimore American.



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It is a wise man that is sharp enough to sell his produce when the prices are going up rather than when they are falling.

Potatoes are not the best ration for the dairy cow. They make the butter colorless and dull and also affect its keeping qualities.

A long step will be taken toward the redemption of the Russian peasants if the contemplated plan of distributing 20,000,000 acres of the crown land among them is put into execution.

While goats are terrors when not where they belong, they are one of the best agencies known for ridding the pasture of all kinds of brush and weeds, which they seem to prefer to the more tender and nutritious grasses.

Old world thrift is in no way more nicely illustrated in comparison with American prodigality than in the fact that the foreigner cuts his cord wood into four pieces, while his new world cousin in the next door yard makes it three.

'Tis hard to please some men, as testified by the fact that one whom we know, with nearly half a section of land, a fine home, a pretty wife, good barns and hundreds of heads of cattle and sheep and hogs, remarked to us that he often felt that he would be better off in town.

We know of a young farmer whose wife has a piano and a cook stove. On the former she is quite proficient, but as a cook she is most inefficient. The most effective harmony which can come to any home arises from the art of good cookery rather than from the power to make a sweet combination of notes.

As cold weather comes on people are prone to shut up their houses almost to the point of suffocation, forgetting that ventilation, or, at least, an occasional change of air, is as necessary in winter as in summer. The air is even more quickly exhausted during the winter on account of the fire and lights.

There are several localities in which the organization of reading and study clubs among the farmers' wives has met with much success, resulting in a needed change from the routine of household duties and in both interest and benefit to the members. Meetings were held once a month and in homes most conveniently located.

In cases where wooden or other shields cannot be readily obtained a good way to protect the trunks of young orchard trees from rabbits and mice is to rub them thoroughly from ground to limbs with some good strong soap. An occasional inspection will indicate whether the operation needs to be repeated. This is sometimes the case as the result of prolonged and heavy rains.

So intensive a culture of the land is followed in the Japanese empire that lines separating the estates of landowners are imaginary and not fences, as in this and some other countries, which throw a three or four foot strip of land out of cultivation, occasional landmarks only being placed to mark the limits of one's property. The unproductive and cumbersome fence and posts must give way to grain or fruit or productive tree.

Following out the tendency of a very generally recognized economic law, the high prices of lumber of all kinds and grades is resulting in a substitution of other materials where possible, and this is particularly true of cement. Thus are at work influences that will not only result in a decreased demand for lumber products, but also a lower price, but which will tend to preserve the forest areas of the country from complete denudation.

A friend took us into his cellar the other day. He felt justly proud of his harvest returns and wanted us to see them. The carrots, beets, squashes, turnips and potatoes certainly did present a nice appearance, but the best part of all was the neatness and compactness of the place—no straggling, mixed up heaps upon the floor to endanger your life every time you went down cellar. Every box and barrel was accessible and convenient at any time.

Each year much good farm machinery goes to waste for want of proper care and protection. Why is this? Negligence, lack of time and poor management may be good excuses, but poor reasons. The man who sells the machinery is not half so distressed to have a nice new machine go in this way as you might think, for he is pretty sure that the next good crop you get will go to help pay for a new one. When you leave your machine out unprotected in all kinds of weather remember that you are treating the other fellow better than yourself when it isn't necessary.

Pluck that financial beam out of your eye. There are some things that you cannot put a money value on, yet they may be the basis of much happiness.

It is no kindness to an animal to let it live when afflicted with some incurable ailment or disease. Its sufferings and struggles far outweigh its joy of living.

It always seems so strange to go into a country home and find that they buy their mince meat. It seems as out of place as it would to buy canned pumpkin or baked beans. There is no mince meat like that of the home manufacture.

A few tin cans, thrifty geranium slips and a sunny window brought into proper conjunction are all that are necessary to provide an abundance of winter bloom, which will be the more appreciated because everything out of doors is bleak and bare.

That church which has a large sprinkling of farmers and their families among its members and congregation is almost sure to prosper. The good country people are not only more regular attendants, but they give willingly and with a free hand when they are able.

It not infrequently happens that the price of fall apples is materially affected by an abundant crop of peaches and pears, which, with the low freight rates prevailing, can be put down in almost any part of the country at a moderate cost. The converse of thi proposition is equally true.

Ofrentimes it will be found convenient if the family keeps a file of the home or county seat paper, say, running back six months or a year. As a record of local history and information its preservation in the above manner will prove valuable in a number of ways. And what is true of the weekly paper applies with even greater force to other periodicals and magazines.

If you are one to get caught, also with a lot of others, with a big crop and no market for it one year, it is no sign that it will always be that way, but it will be natural for you to feel that way. Perseverance will win, and the next year you may make a great hit by trying the same crop again, because every one else will be sure to try some other. Then yours will be in demand.

Do some of you boys and girls who are in town attending high school and incidentally having a good time realize that the opportunity, books, tuition, clothes and board mean long hours and sacrifice on the part of some loving father and mother at home, who long to see worked out in you the ambitions which they were never able to realize? Application and gratitude on your part is small interest to pay.

A practical and helpful service that any school, religious or benevolent organization might perform lies along the line of a more thorough dissemination and interchange of the vast amount of excellent reading matter that now weighs down, but doesn't enlighten, the closet shelves of so many homes. To be valuable, good papers and magazines must be read and digested. Stacked up, they fail of their mission.

Not infrequently the good housewife complains of bad spots in the potatoes which cause a good deal of waste. There are black places and ragged gashes. This is caused by using a sharp tined fork in handling the potatoes or they are shoveled up in a wholesale way much as coal is handled. Many good potatoes are ruined in this way and rendered unfit for table use.

'Tis the exception that the woman about the place does not have a responsible position upon the farm. Besides all the housework, she has the garden, the poultry and much of the young stock to look after and is always expected to be ready to help in an emergency. She needs not only sympathy, but hearty co-operation, in her work, for her hours are long and poorly paid in money as well as appreciation.

We sometimes treat a storeroom as though its only purpose in being was a place to deposit rubbish, for we could hardly call the contents of many storerooms anything else. This habit of accumulating and saving from year to year old stuff that we have no present need for and we see no immediate future use for grows with us, and our only relief is a fire, flood, cyclone or to move out—usually the latter. A storeroom is a most useful and necessary place when kept in some kind of shape.

The last assembly of the Iowa legislature gave the good roads cause a substantial lift when they passed a law with a view to encouraging the use of wide tired wagons on the public highways and providing for a rebate of one-fourth of their road tax to persons using wagons with tires not less than three inches in width when hauling loads of over 800 pounds in weight. The first rebate is to be given July 1, 1907, and each July 1 thereafter, providing the person complying with the provisions of the law shall make an affidavit to that effect before a notary public. The law as passed is eminently sensible and is bound to fetch definite results in the matter of highway improvement.

A QUERY ABOUT SOUTH DAKOTA.

A central Iowa reader of this department writes stating that she and her father have taken up a claim in Stanley county, S. D., and wanting to know what they can raise to best advantage. The father has gardened, but not farmed. They will hire their breaking done, having but one horse, and it will have to be counted on to till the crops raised. Particular inquiries are made relative to raising beans, onions, potatoes and sunflowers. During the past three years there seems to have been abundant moisture for growing crops through practically all portions of North and South Dakota. On the assumption that the character of the soil is suitable and that meteoreological conditions continue as they have of late years, we see no good reason why the products mentioned ought not to do well. A letter received from Professor James W. Wilson of the State Agricultural college at Brookings, S. D., contains the information that all of the products mentioned, as well as others, have been grown successfully in Stanley county, the gist of his reply being that these products ought to do well if given intelligent care. Both beans and onions are crops that could be tended with a single horse or hand cultivator, and they will also withstand considerable drought in case this condition should prevail. The Campbell system of dry farming has done wonders in way of crop returns from many portions of the semiarid west, and were we a holder of land beyond the 100th meridian we would certainly make a careful study of its chief points with a view to being prepared for a possible drought.

GLUTTONY.

The other day at Libertyville, Ill., a hamburger cheese eating contest resulted in the death of the winner, who got away with a pound of the stuff, and nearly finished up the two other contestants, who were not far behind him in the amount of cheese consumed. Doctors who operated on the winner for appendicitis did not learn until after his death of the real cause of his abdominal distress. Most all contests involve more or less foolhardiness on the part of those who engage, but the tribe who seek notoriety by overloading their stomachs with food of any kind, digestible or not, prove their descent from the ape and demonstrate their kinship with the beast of the field.

UNPROFITABLE.

There is a habit among some farmers in buying cattle for their stockyards to pick them up in the south and west stock centers. We saw a bunch of such cattle not long since which the owner told us he had bought for yearlings the spring previous when the hair was long. The fact developed with the coming of warm weather that he had been sold along with a few yearlings a bunch of western cattle which had probably not sucked their mothers for four years or more. They were a rabbit ham bunch, and all the good corn on the farmer's lot could make nothing more than canners out of them. In these the farmer had tied up what otherwise would represent his profit.

A DANGER TO AVOID.

The recent report of three deaths in one family living at Anderson, Ind., as a result of toadstool poisoning but gives added force to the suggestion that it is far safer for people who do not possess sufficient botanical knowledge to carefully distinguish between the edible mushroom and its deadly cousin, the common toadstool, to let the whole tribe severely alone. While the mushroom is considered a delicacy by many and is wholesome enough, the toadstool is a deadly fungus, there being practically no antidote which is able to counteract its baleful effects. Let the toadstool family alone unless you are anxious to mature your insurance policy.

COST OF FLOODS.

The national forest service, which not long ago was put upon a much more effective working basis, has undertaken as one of its tasks the solution of the problem of floods in rivers. It is estimated that the Kansas river floods of 1903 destroyed $20,000,000 worth of property and 100 lives. One of the most fertile valleys in the country, 120 miles long, was partly destroyed, its rich soil being cut away in places, while other portions were covered with sand to a depth of six or eight feet. Out of 250,000 acres of very fertile soil 10,000 were completely destroyed, while 10,000 acres more lost 50 per cent of their value.

COUNTRY HIGHWAYS.

While the day is doubtless far distant, conditions of population and land tenure are bound to arise which will render it an economic necessity to put into the adjacent fields on either side generous strips of the present four rod country highway. This change could be made today without waiting for the increased population and would result in a vast improvement in the looks of the highway, as the strips in question are in all too many instances simply breeding plots for useless and unsightly grass and weeds.

MONEY IN MELONS.

As the result of an exceptionally favorable and long growing season a friend reports an income of $175 from an acre planted to muskmelons. A multitude of weeds were killed before time to plant the seed, which made the matter of the care of the seed comparatively easy, while the crop matured gradually, so that the period during which it could be marketed extended over several weeks. A further point of advantage in favor of the melon crop was the fact that it did not pull heavily on the soil.

Kingfishers as Weathercocks.

There is a very quaint old world superstition in connection with the kingfisher, which I fancy still obtains here and there in remote parts of the countryside. The superstition is this: If a stuffed or dried kingfisher be suspended by a thread or string from the beam or ceiling of a room its breast will always turn in the direction of the prevailing wind. How the notion first arose and how, in the light of common sense and inquiry, it has been so long perpetuated it is hard to say, but it has long existed and still exists. I have a clear recollection as a youngster of going into a humble cottage in the shires and seeing a stuffed kingfisher thus suspended as a weather vane.—Country Life.

MAN AND HIS BELIEFS.

The Seven Great Religious Bodies of the World.

The population of the earth at the death of the Emperor Augustus was estimated at 50,000,000. Today it is calculated that this globe has a population of 1,603,150,000. Out of this vast number of more than a billion and a half of human beings it is asserted that all but an infinitesimal fraction of 1 per cent believe in and worship in some degree a supreme ruler of the universe.

There are seven great religions in the world. The Christian religion has the greatest number of adherents, 563,000,000. Of this number 350,000,000 are Catholics and 213,000,000 Protestants. These two great divisions are subdivided into innumerable sects differing from one another on some point of dogma or church government. Next in importance comes the worship of ancestors and Confucianism, whose followers are 283,000,000 in number. This belief is confined almost exclusively to the Chinese and Japanese. In India there are 223,000,000 Brahmans. This form of religion has decreased somewhat during recent years, owing perhaps to the continual ravages of plague and famine in that country. But it still holds the third place among the seven great religions. Brahmanism is hard pressed, however, by the faith of Islam. There are 222,000,000 of these followers of the doctrines of Mohammed. The fifth on the list are the Polytheists, the believers in many gods, who number 130,000,000. The devotees of Buddha come next, 107,000,000 strong. These, too, have their stronghold in India. The smallest of the seven great religions of the world is Taoism, with 44,000,000 adherents in the Chinese empire and in Tibet.

The next greatest religion, in point of numbers, to Taoism is the belief of Japan, Shintoism. This has but 18,000,000 believers. The Jewish faith now counts but half that number of adherents. But, unlike the other great religions, the followers of the teachings of Moses are not centered in any particular country, but are scattered all about the world. Compared with the foregoing, the religions of the Parsees, while one of the most beautiful theoretically, has about the smallest following of any distinct belief in the world, 150,000. This sect has its home in India and is best known to the outside world by its curious burial customs, the famed "towers of silence."—Exchange.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

You haven't as long to live as you used to have.

Some people are so agreeable that they are disagreeable.

Heroism is generally a foolish act with a successful termination.

Some people not only insist upon giving advice, but asking questions at the same time.

When a married woman hears about women who are working on salaries she is liable to say, "Well, I earn all I get."

The surest way to tame a man is to take his money away from him. When a man has no money even a woman can run over him.

People talk of nursing their wrath as if they are bloodthirsty for revenge, but leave an angry man alone and in two days he will have forgotten what he got angry about.—Atchison Globe.

No Cure For Insomnia.

A sufferer from insomnia may work hard at physical and mental labor, yet the night cometh when no man can work. The insomniac, utterly fatigued, falls into a slumber—not a sound, refreshing, dreamless slumber, but a coma, lethargy, a torpor, born of fatigue. In a few hours the demon says "Awake!" and the insomniac starts instantly into waking, with bright, staring, winkless, sleepless eyes. Is there no cure? None. Insomnia comes with age. You cannot cure your years. You used to sleep yesterday when you were young. "Not poppy nor mandragora nor all the drowsy sirups of the world can medicine thee to that sweet sleep which yesterday thou hadst."—San Francisco Argonaut.

Kaiser a Motor Enthusiast.

Munich, Bavaria, Nov. 20.—Emperor William, receiving Dr. Ludwig Ganghofer, the author, said: "I often feel inclined to jump into an automobile and dash off for a couple of days, returning full of energy and contentment. Such recreations, especially to one in my responsible position, are very necessary."

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL.

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Towanda People Know How to Save it.

Many Towanda people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Sick kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill-health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger when all diseases and aches and pains due to weak kidneys can be quickly and permanently cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. Here is the statement of a Towanda citizen who has reclaimed good health by the use of this remedy:

J. A. Campbell, clerk in M. J. Long's grocery store and living at 105 York avenue, says: "It is about a year since I had my first experience with Doan's Kidney Pills. At that time I was having considerable annoyance from pains across the small of my back. I have no doubt but the constant standing on my feet aggravated it if it did not cause the trouble. Doan's Kidney Pills which I bought at Dr. H. C. Porter & Son's drug store quickly stopped the attack. I was quite free from it until a few weeks ago when there were symptoms of a reoccurrence. I again resorted to the use of Doan's Kidney Pills and as in the former case they brought about the desired results. This proved to my satisfaction that Doan's Kidney Pills can be depended upon."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

FRANKLINDALE.

Fred Brown is working in a bakery at Athens.

E. W. Lane, a helper in the P., B. and E. blacksmith shop at Camp No. 2, was called home last week by the serious illness of his daughter, who is very ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Slater of Milan, were visiting at Alson Lantz's Sunday.

Over $200 was raised by the Italians here and sent to the widow, in Italy, of their fellow countryman who was killed by the steam hoist at the rock cut recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Willey and George M. Gilbert each have lost a good team of horses recently.

There will be communion services at the M. E. church Dec. 2.

Peter and Andrew Merring made a business trip to New Jersey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lantz are rejoicing over a baby girl.

The remains of Hiram Dunn of North Towanda, were brought to this place Tuesday for interment.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lantz, Nov. 16, a daughter; also to Mr. and Mrs. Till Young, a daughter.

Mrs. C. T. Sickler, who had the left eye removed at the Sayre hospital, is home.

Mrs. Mary J. Lantz of New Albany, has been visiting here.

George Yates and friend of Wetona, have been spending a few days at P. Anderson's.

ALBA.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cowles and son have returned to their home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Marks have gone to Elmira to spend the Winter with their children.

Mrs. Melvina Lewis has returned from Elmira.

Miss Edith Foss is assisting in a millinery store in Sayre.

Mrs. Theodore Manley died Nov. 16, after a long illness. Funeral services were conducted at the home Sunday, M. S. Blair officiating.

The teachers in this vicinity are preparing a program for an institute.

H. Holcomb raised a new barn on Friday, 30x40 feet, to replace the one destroyed by fire.

James Randell has been improving his house by adding a kitchen and porch.

B. J. Warren has rented Earl Lye's farm for three years.

Mrs. Celestia Warren is sick.

SAYLES.

Mrs. Alma Kenyon of New Albany, visited friends in this place the past week.

James Holford, who for many years has been a resident of this place, moved to his new home in Troy last week.

David Rundell of Sayre, has purchased the hall here and Frank Woodin is tearing it down. Part of the lumber will be used for buildings on his farm on Vroman Hill. Mr. Rundall had the misfortune to have his house, barn and out-buildings destroyed by fire some time ago.

I. W. Anderson had business in Troy Monday.

Curtis, Harry, Perry, and Edna Vorhis of Wetona, visited at Jerome Alexander's Monday and Tuesday.

The Markets.

The Market Reports in the Reporter-Journal and Republican are corrected every week. For Towanda, the quotations on Groceries and Provisions are furnished by M. J. Long; on Hay, Straw and Grain, by the Susquehanna Valley Hay Co. The Troy markets are reported by F. H. Hovey, and the General Markets are from the Produce and Live Stock Exchanges.

Towanda Provision Market.

	PAYING	SELLING
BUTTER	25c to 26c	
EGGS	28	
CHEESE		18
LARD		10 to 11c
BEESWAX	22 a 25	
BEANS	$1.80 a $2.50	
CORN	56 to 60	
OATS	40 to 45c	
CORN MEAL	$1.30 a 1.40	
FEED	$1.30 a 1.35	
FLOUR, per sack	$1.00 a 1.40	

Towanda Hay and Grain Market.

LOOSE HAY—No. 1, $11; No. 2, $9 to $10; No. 3, $8.

BALED HAY—No. 1, $12 to $13; No. 2, $11.

Clover mixed, $10 to $12.

STRAW—Loose Long Rye, $6; loose Short Rye, $4; loose Oat, $3; baled Short Rye, No. 1, $7; No. 2, $6; baled Oat Straw, $5.

Troy Markets.

	PAYING
EGGS	2c
BEESWAX	@22c
OATS, per bushel	38 - 40c
POTATOES, per bushel	50c
BUTTER—	
Creamery Prints	27c
Dairy Prints	25c
Dairy Pails	24c
Potatoes, bushel	50c
Apples, car,y	40 to 50

General Markets.

New York, Nov. 20.

FLOUR—Firm, but quiet; Minnesota patents, $4.10a4.40; winter straights, $3.50a3.60; winter extras, $2.90a3.10; winter patents, $3.75a4.

WHEAT—There was a firm tone to wheat this morning and ¼c. advance, due to strength in the northwest, covering and small northwest receipts: December, 82 9-16a82¾c.; May, 85 1-16a85 5-16c.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, per pound, 28a28½c.; firsts, 25a27c.; seconds, 22a24c.; held, extras, 27a27½c.; firsts, 24a25½c.; renovated, extras, 21½a23c.; firsts, 19½a20c.; packing stock, No. 1, 18½a19c.; No. 2, 17½a18c.

CHEESE—State, full cream, large and small, September, fancy, 13½c.; October, best, 12¾c.; fair to good, 12a12½c.; half skims, best, small, 10¼a10½c.; large, 10¼c.; part skims, prime, 9¼a9½c.; fair to good, 7½a8½c.; full skims, 3a4c.

EGGS—Fresh gathered, extra, per dozen, 35c.; nearby, fresh gathered, firsts to extra firsts, 32a33c.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 6½c.; country, 6¼a6¾c.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 75a80c.; good to choice, $1.05a1.10.

STRAW—Quiet; long rye, 60a70c.

BEANS—Quiet; marrow, $2.55; medium, $1.65; pea, $1.60a1.62½; red kidney, $2.60.

WOOL—Steady; domestic fleece, 35a38c.

HOPS—Steady; state, common to choice, 1906, 20a24c.; 1905, 9a15c.; Pacific coast, 1906, 19a22c.; 1905, Half4c.

EAST TROY.

Mrs. W. W. Brooks visited over Sunday with her son, Milton, in Elmira.

Mrs. Jessie Bryant of Rochester, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Fields, recently.

The I. O. O. F. will hold a good social banquet Saturday evening, Nov. 24. All members are cordially invited to attend. Ladies will please take cake.

Notice of the First Meeting of Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States for the Middle District of Pennsylvania. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of M. Leverton, Bankrupt, of Dushore, Sullivan County, Pa. No. 897.

To the creditors of M. Leverton of Dushore, in the County of Sullivan, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of November, A. D., 1906, the said M. Leverton was duly adjudicated bankrupt: and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in the Borough of Towanda, Pa., on the 26th day of November, 1906, at 10 o'clock in the forenaoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN W. CODDING,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Orphans' Court Notice.

Notice is hereby given that there have been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Orphans' Court in and for the County of Bradford, State of Pennsylvania, and confirmed ni. si., as of September Term, 1906, the following appraisements of property set off by executors and administrators to the widows and children of the following decedents, viz.:

No. 8.—Estate of Aaron M. Gillett, late of the township of Ridgebury, deceased.
No. 9.—Estate of Henry C. Tracy, late of the borough of Monroe, deceased.
No. 10.—Estate of Miles J. Burns, late of the township of Albany, deceased.
No. 11.—Estate of Timothy Horigan, late of the township of Ridgebury, deceased.
No. 12.—Estate of F. X. H. Dodge, late of the township of Franklin, deceased.
No. 13.—Estate of Malachi T. Shoemaker, late of the township of Granville, deceased.
No. 14.—Estate of Victor P. Vincent, late of the township of Ridgebury, deceased.
No. 15.—Estate of C. E. Waldo, late of the borough of Sylvania, deceased.
No. 16.—Estate of George H. Wood, late of the borough of Towanda, deceased.
No. 17.—Estate of Leonard W. Mingos, late of the township of Asylum, deceased.

And the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court in and for the County of Bradford at an Orphans' Court to be held at Towanda, in and for said County, on Thursday, the 6th day of December, A. D., 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for final confirmation.

CHAS. P. DEWEY,
Clerk of the Orphans' Court.
Towanda, Pa., Nov. 3, 1906. 4t

Final Accounts.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the Prothonotary's Office at Towanda, and will be presented to the Court for allowance on Thursday, December 6, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m.:

First and final account of Ed. W. Putnam, committee of the estate of J. E. Everett, a lunatic, now deceased. No. 21 September Term, 1892.

Final account of T. B. Smith, guardian of Nelson Shaylor, now deceased. No. 217 May Term, 1902.

At which time the above accounts will be finally confirmed, unless cause is shown why they should not be.

WILLIS G. GORDON,
Prothonotary.
Towanda, Pa., Nov. 8, 1906. 4t

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Margaret Horton, deceased, late of Towanda borough, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

CHAS. M. CULVER,
Executor.
Nov. 8, 1906. 6t

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Hannah M. Decker, deceased, late of Towanda borough, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

JULIA A. DECKER,
Nov. 13, 1906. Administrator.

Lost—find it with a small ad.

Register's Notice.

Notice is heheby given that there have been filed in the office of the Register for the Probate of Wills and Granting Letters of Administration in and for the County of Bradford, State of Pennsylvania, accounts of Executors, Administrators, etc., for the following named estates, viz.:

No. 1.—First partial account of George P. Thomas and David J. Flynn, executors of the estate of Ellen Flynn, late of the township of North Towanda, deceased.
No. 2.—Final account of T. S. Hickok, trustee of the estate of Howard C. Bullock, child of George E. Bullock, late of the borough of Canton, deceased.
No. 3.—Final account of R. F. Page, executor of the estate of Deborah Ann Baker, late of the borough of Athens, deceased.
No. 4.—Final account of Diton Phelps, executor of the estate of Marietta Mitchell, late of the township of Smithfield, deceased.
No. 5.—Final account of H. F. Smith, executor of the estate of John H. Carter, late of the township of Wyalusing, deceased.
No. 6.—Final account of William H. Jones, administrator of the estate of Ezekiel D. Jones, late of the township of Sheshequin, deceased.
No. 7.—Final account of D. W. Chaffe, executor of the estate of Mary Horton, late of the township of Sheshequin, deceased.
No. 8.—Final account of J. W. Stone, executor of the estate of Sarah C. Dewey, late of the borough of Alba, deceased.
No. 9.—Final account of Cordis M. Chaffee, executor of the estate of Mary E. Bowen, late of the township of Warren, deceased.
No. 10.—Final account of M. S. Prentice, administrator of the estate of Ella Prentice, late of the borough of LeRaysville, deceased.
No. 11.—Final account of Leland Wolcott, executor of the estate of Eliza White, late of the township of Windham, deceased.
No. 12.—Final account of Truman O. Lindsley, administrator of the estate of George S. Carr, late of the township of Ridgebury, deceased.
No. 13.—Final account of Anna M. Dexter, administratrix of the estate of Almon C. Dexter, late of the township of Tuscarora, deceased.
No. 14.—Final account of John W. Conklin and J. R. Post, administrators of the estate of J. L. Conklin, late of the borough of Towanda, deceased.
No. 15.—Final account of Eli W. Gale, administrator C. T. A. of the estate of Harriet T. Wilson, late of the borough of Towanda, deceased.
No. 16.—First partial account of Liston Bliss and D. F. Pomeroy, executors of the estate of H. Brunette Bliss, late of the borough of Troy, deceased.
No. 17.—Final account of A. B. Hammond, administrator of the estate of Harriet Hammond, late of the township of Columbia, deceased.
No. 18.—Final account of S. D. Barnum, surviving executor of the estate of Azariah Judson, late of the borough of Athens, deceased.
No. 19.—Final account of Peleg Peck, executor of the estate of Mial Watkins, late of the township of Columbia, deceased.
No. 20.—First partial account of Alberta Pike and Truman V. Sloat, administratrix and administrator of the estate of Frank Pike, late of the borough of Sayre, deceased.
No. 21.—Third triennial account of Manson Elsbree and Joseph S. Thurston, trustees of the estate of A. C. Elsbree, late of the borough of Athens, deceased.

And the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Bradford County, to be held at Towanda, in and for said County and State, on Thursday, the 6th day of December, A. D., 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for confirmation, and they will be confirmed ni. si., unless exceptions are filed within ten days thereafter, final confirmation will be entered thereon.

CHAS. P. DEWEY,
Register of Wills.
Register's Office, Towanda, Pa., Nov. 3, 1906. 4t

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Edgar Fiske, deceased, late of Tuscarora township, Bradford County, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

F. L. HOADLEY,
Administrator.
CHAS. M. CULVER,
Attorney for Estate.
Nov. 8, 1906. 6t

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Frances E. Loveland, deceased, late of Township of Ulster, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

HIRAM Z. SHAW, Executor.
Oct. 1, 1906. 25oct-4t*

All the News while it is News.

Reporter-Journal Patterns From the Latest NEW YORK FASHIONS

Pattern For a Fancy Apron Designed by Martha Dean—No. 6747.

What dainty little affairs fancy aprons may be made! It requires only a small piece of lawn, some fine lace edging and ribbon-run beading or insertion for a really charming creation to result. The apron shown is very easily made and yet very pleasing when finished. The two pockets formed by the applied center panel are quite unique and practical adornment. This applied portion is joined with insertion or beading, while the same appears as finishing for the edge. Broad ties fasten the apron in back and are decidedly becoming. No. 6747, one size.

DIRECTIONS FOR ORDERING

Send 10 cents to this office, give number of this pattern, No. 6747, and it will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Be sure to write *plainly* and always give *full* address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.

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TOWANDA, PA.

Enclosed find....cents for which send me Pattern as follows:

No. ..... Size .....

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ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Local Photographs of People Who Are Coming and Going.

D. B. Lewis of Trout Run, spent Monday in Towanda.

Dr. William Rice of Rome, spent Monday in Towanda.

Mary Kingsley has returned from a visit to Wilkes-Barre.

C. I. Lacey was in Towanda from Athens last Saturday.

Sheriff Job Griffin was in Athens last Saturday on business.

Mrs. F. E. Overton of Laquin, was a Towanda visitor on Monday.

Mrs. George Layton is visiting at the home of Mrs. A. J. Layton.

Edmond Barron of Scranton, is visiting relatives on Ward avenue.

Fay Wheeler of Luthers Mills, was a Towanda shopper on Saturday.

Manley Bird, a Burlington resident, was a Towanda visitor Saturday.

Miss Marian Fanning of Waverly, is the guest of Towanda friends.

M. Hendleman left Wednesday for New York to spend several days.

W. A. Kittridge of Tunkhannock, is spending a day or two in Towanda.

Miss Mary McMahon has returned home from a visit with Sayre friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Ennis of Standing Stone, were Towanda shoppers Friday.

John Wheaton and daughter of Luthers Mills, were i ntown Thursday. day.

L. M. Brink of LeRaysville, transacted business in Towanda on Monday.

Attorney E. J. Cleveland of Canton, was in Towanda Friday on legal business.

Mrs. G. C. Fellbush went Thursday to Rochester for a visit with relatives.

Miss Emma Bonney of Athens, is visiting Towanda friends for a few days.

Miss Alice M. Titus spent Monday in Athens, with her sister, Mrs. S. R. Payne.

Attorney H. K. Mitchell of Troy, was registered at the Ward House Monday.

C. C. Wheeler of Luthers Mills, was registered at the Ochs Hotel on Thursday.

Mrs. C. S. Hendershot of Rummerfield, has gone to New York city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Spencer of Bourne, Pa., were Towanda shoppers on Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Rice and son of Roaring Branch, visited friends in Towanda Thursday.

Clinton Swingle and James Coleman of Smithboro, were in town on business Thursday.

Henry Rockwell went to Rome on Thursday to attend the funeral of the late Amanda Rice.

Mrs. J. Messersmith of New Albany, was on a shopping expedition in Towanda on Thursday.

Eleazer Stevens of Wilkes-Barre, has been visiting at Will Brennan's, on North Main street.

John Kasper of Sayre, was in Towanda attending to legal matters in which he is interested.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick K. Taylor of Granville Center, greeted friends in Towanda Thursday.

Mrs. S. R. Payne of Athens, has gone to visit her daughter, Mrs. Henry C. Kline, at Anamoose, N. D.

Robert Swingle, who has been working in Canandaigua, N. Y., has returned to Towanda to visit relatives.

Miss Mabel Lockwood has returned to her home in North Main street, after a visit with friends in New York city.

Albert Blowers, a former Review employe, is visiting friends in Towanda. He is now located at Cooperstown, N. Y.

Mrs. Mary Stalford and little son, Walter, of Towanda, are visiting Mrs. Mary Kline and other relatives in Dushore.

Mrs. Michael Lynch returned to her home in Towanda Monday, after spending a day or two with Athens friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hicks of Rome, have been called to Waverly by the illness of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Bingham.

Mrs. L. M.. Mingos and daughter Bessie, left on Thursday for New York, where she will spend the Winter months.

Mrs. W. C. Jackson and daughter Mildred, of West Danby, N. Y., are visiting at the home of Dr. Layman, in Third street.

Judge Charles E. Terry of Tunkhannock, and James W. Piatt of the same place, were in Towanda Friday upon legal business.

Mrs. Mary Abell has returned to her home in Sedalia, Mo., having been called here by the death of the late Hon. C. S. Russell.

Mrs. George A. Lamkin and daughter Louise, of Athens, were in Towanda Saturday, visiting Mrs. Lamkin's sisters, Mrs. Ruggies and Mrs. Baker.

Charles H. Davidson of H. C. Porter's drug store, was in Ulster the past week in charge of Mr. Porter's branch store in that place, while his brother, Fred Davidson, was taking a vacation.

Miss Anna Carroll is in New York city to attend the wedding on Wednesday of this week of her cousin, Miss Rose Sadlier to lieutenant Henry Charles Dinger, U. S. N., attached to the battleship Indiana. The wedding will be celebrated in the Church of St. Ignatius Loyala and the ceremony will be performed by Archbishop Farley.

CASHIER LAYTON HAS EXPERIENCE WITH CROOK.

Smooth Stranger Wanted to Cash Worthless Checks.

Cashier W. B. Layton of the Keystone bank, of Scranton, who left Galeton to take that position a few weeks ago, had an experience with a bogus check man this week, and brought the crook to swift justice. A young man named Walter Diller had a neat plan to raise money, but came to grief when he tried to mystify Mr. Layton.

A week ago last Saturday night Diller entered the Keystone bank. To the teller he gave the name of G. S. Simpson, address South Main and Eynon streets. He deposited five checks, the total amount of which exceeded $500. Two of the checks were drawn on a Hazelton bank, another was drawn on a bank in Wilkes-Barre, a fourth was on a Doyleston bank, and one was on Central City bank. All of the checks were signed by Diller's aliases, and the first evidence of their being invalid came when all five checks were returned to the bank, protested.

Diller again visited the bank Monday morning. Approaching a receiving teller's window he was recognized as Simpson. On his tendering another check he was called inside the office, and there questioned by Cashier Layton. He could give no satisfactory answer, and Cashier Layton turned matter over to the police.

$20,000,000 IS CAPITAL.

General Officers of P., B. and E. to Be Located at Canton.

By filing a certificate at Albany on Wednesday of last week, the final step is taken in completing the merger of the P., B. and E. railroad company and the Susquehanna Central railroad under the title of Pittsburg, Binghamton and Eastern Railroad company, according to an Associated Press dispatch.

The capital is to be $20,000,000 and the principal offices at Canton, Bradford county, Pa. Officers named are: President, F. A. Sawyer of Canton; vice presidents, Eliot Norton and J. T. Odell of New York city; treasurer, C. F. Wright of Susquehanna; secretary, John Whitore of Ridgeway.

Railroads and Fail Shipping.

A shortage of cars always occurs at this season of the year and shippers complain much because they cannot get cars for loading. The trouble is not confined to one road but all lines are confronted with a scarcity of cars when the rush of Fall shipping comes on. When it is announced from time to time that certain roads have ordered a large number of cars, the general public supposes that is is to meet those exigencies, but many times the new cars only replace the old ones worn out or smashed up in wrecks, with possibly a few additional to meet growing needs. The Lehigh Valley has had many new steel cars with low sides and a large capacity on the switches around Towanda lately.

Everybody Happy, Anyway

Game suppers are coming with frequent regularity, following close upon each other, though the ox roast is not being talked of as much as a few days ago. Wednesday a party of the old timers went to the Quarry Glen club, and spent a pleasant afternoon; some of these had to hurry home early in the evening to be present at a little dinner given by Charles McCracken. Tuesday evening at the Tidd House, about 20 guests gathered at the invitation of James Cook, who served well cooked game and all that should go with it.

Going to India.

Miss Elsie Reynolds of Nodaway, Iowa, will stop at Horace Spencer's, at Fairview, Burlington township, on her way to Jubbulpore, India, where she goes as a missionary under the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church. She is a graduate of Simpson college in 1906, and is a young lady of noble character. She sails from New York Dec. 1. A reception will be held for her at the Fairview church, Tuesday of next week, Nov. 27, at 2 p. m. She has many relatives in this vicinity. All are invited.

New Telephone Line.

A new telephone line is being erected from North Orwell through by Vawter to Litchfield, and thence through to Sayre. The line is being erected by F. N. Moore of North Orwell and is being put up in first-class conditon.

My Hair is Extra Long

Feed your hair; nourish it; give it something to live on. Then it will stop falling, and will grow long and heavy. Ayer's Hair Vigor is the only genuine hair-food you can buy. It gives new life to the hair-bulbs. You save what hair you have, and get more, too. And it keeps the scalp clean and healthy.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. CHERRY PECTORAL.

CORONER SCORES ERIE ROAD AT OWEGO.

Finds That Double Fatality Is Due to Carelessness.

In reference to the recent fatality at the Erie railroad crossing at Owego, in which two Tioga county farmers were killed, the coroner, after a thorough investigation, makes sweeping accusations and recommends that the village authorities take notice of and action upon the negligent manner in which the Erie protects its crossings in that place.

This is the third fatality of this nature in Owego within eleven months, and there have been numerous narrow escapes from death, and several injuries inflicted. Bad arrangements in tending gates, and failure to operate gates during the night, is found fault with by the coroner, who urges immediate action on the part of the village to enforce a proper care being taken by the railroads passing through the village.

From this distance it looks as though the heavy damage suits which may result would have a show of success.

Handcuffs on Wrists as a Joke.

Owen Edwards of Ashley, walked into Wilkes-Barre police headquarters at midnight, recently, the picture of despair. He said he was in a Newtown saloon that evening and that Patrick McCormick, a Wilkes-Barre city constable, placed the handcuffs on his wrists as a joke. Then the bystanders tormented Edwards. Finally he left the saloon in a rage and walked to Ashley. Failing to secure assistance there, he walked to Wilkes-Barre, where, after vainly endeavoring to open the locks with keys and wires, Roth, the locksmith, removed the handcuffs. Edwards' wrists were terribly swollen and discolored. He threatened to bring suit against the man who abused him.

Gildea—Swayne.

In St. Paul's church, New York city, Nov. 4, at 5:30 p. m., by Rev. Father McNiel, occurred the marriage of Patrick J. Gildea and Miss Florence Louise Swayne. Miss Swayne was formerly of Towanda, and a successful trained nurse, graduating with honors from the Middletown hospital in 1901, with a class of 13. Miss Savage of Marlboro, Mass., a niece of the groom, acting as bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Gildea will reside in New York, where Mr. Gildea holds a responsible position. Mrs. Mary Swayne of Powell, is a mother of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Gildea gave a reception at their home at No. 50 East 98th street, in honor of the occasion.

Roll of Honor Papers.

In "Newspapers Worth Knowing," a volume of 560 pages listing the better newspapers of the United States and Canada, published by Printers Ink Publishing Co., and edited by George P. Rowell, the veteran advertising man, The Daily Review and The Reporter-Journal, Bradford county's biggest and best newspapers, are represented with sworn circulation statements accompanied by the statement that both papers are entitled to places on Printers Ink roll of honor. The moral for the merchant or other advertiser is plain. "Newspapers Worth Knowing" is a mighty handy volume, especially for the general advertiser.

Big Robbery at Endicott?

Chief of Police Miller Wednesday was notified that a gang of desperate robbers gained an entrance to a large jewelry house in Endicott at an early hour Wednesday morning and dynamited the huge safe, blowing the door off the massive iron vault and partly wrecked the building. The robbers secured several thousand dollars' worth of diamonds and jewelry. The authorities are now searching the surrounding country for the rascals.

Bark from Africa.

A Ralston correspondent says that most of the bark used in the tannery at that place is shipped there in bags from South America and that it possesses four times the strength of the hemlock bark found in the surrounding forests. That it is cheaper goes without saying, or it would not be used. A tannery in Troy uses a great deal of bark shipped from South Africa.—Dushore Review.

Being Touched Up.

A force of Lehigh Valley painters are engaged painting signals along the lower end of the line, preparatory to the hard Winter weather. Blinding storms make it necessary that signals be plainly visible at a distance. The signals and roads are also being inspected.

Card of Thanks.

The family of the late Peter Kropp wish through the columns of The Review to extend their sincere thanks and appreciation for the kindly sympathy and assistance so freely tendered them by friends and the members of the several fraternal orders during their bereavement.

LUTHERS MILLS.

There will be a box social in the Kendall Hill school house Wednesday evening, Nov. 28, for the benefit of that school and Betts's school. A cordial invitation to all.

Mrs. R. M. Pryne visited friends at Towanda last week.

Mrs. D. V. Campbell has returned from a few weeks' visit at Pittsburg.

The men in this vicinity are very busy stripping tobacco.

Mrs. D. Leonard is visiting at Athens.

Lost—find it with a small ad.

PAPERS FILED IN BREACH OF PROMISE.

W. F. Daly of Leona, Made Defendant By Former Housekeeper.

Papers in what threatens to be a breach of promise suit were filed in Prothonotary's office Friday by Charles Mills, attorney for Miss M. Adelia Spencer of Elmira, who makes affiadavit to the effect that W. F. Daly, a well known resident of Leona, after repeated promises to make Miss Spencer his wife, went away and on Sept. 5 of this year married Mrs. Mittie Austin of Mainsburg.

The praecipe, statement and affiidavit recites that Miss Spencer met Daly some years ago, that she then lived in Elmira, and that Daly persuaded her to leave her home and come to his house in Leona and act in the capacity of his housekeeper; and that during the time she was there it was well understood between them that they were to be married. She went to Elmira during the latter part of the Summer to make preparation for the approaching wedding, and suddenly heard that Daly had married.

Miss Spencer now seeks to recover $10,000 damages, and bail is demanded by her attorney in the sum of $1,000, after an answer has been made to the filing of the documents.

Lawlor—Beidleman.

The home of Miss Mary Lawlor on Elm street, Waverly, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Saturday evening, Nov. 10, when Miss Mildred Beidleman of Wilawanna and J. Irving Lawlor of Waverly, were united in marriage. The Rev. F. L. Allen of Athens, performing the ceremony. Only immediate relatives being present. A fine supper was served, and on Monday evening a charming reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Hattie Dewey, at Wilawanna, which was attended by 25 relatives. They will reside in Waverly, where the groom has a lucrative position. The best wishes of their many friends will go with them to their new home.

At Hale's Opera House Friday.

The handsome scenic production, "A Romance of Coon Hollow," now in its twelfth season, is announced for Thursday, Nov. 22. The play will have the advantage of a beautiful setting, no house scenery whatever being used and an excellent supporting company. A male quartet of vocalists, and a "hot" troupe of plantation dancers, are extra features. The scenery is all new. There is a fascinating combine of irresistible fun, natural character drawing and powerful dramatic situations in "A Romance of Coon Hollow."

Says He's a Champion.

"Tom" Leeson of Toronto, Canada, who declares that so far as he is able to learn, he is the champion foot ball drop-kicker of this continent, is at present in Towanda. Leeson says he is looking for an engagement with a semi-professional team. He can put the ball between the bars from the 62 yard line, and claims he has punted a clean 84 yards. He recently gave an exhibition at Auburn, N. Y., which was witnessed in wonder by an assemblage of foot ball men.

Little Girl Provided For.

In the matter of Eliza May Smith, a neglected and dependent child of Jasper Smith and Alice Smith, after hearing the evidence, the court has ordered that the child be remanded and delivered to the custody of Lewis T. Smith, her grandfather, of Albany township, as special probationary officer to keep and manage and provide for the child.

Thief at Lehigh Valley Station.

A thief at the Lehigh Valley station in Wilkes-Barre Thursday morning stole a grip belonging to William Fenney, of Milford, Mass. Mr. Finney dropped the grip on the floor in the waiting room while he went to purchase a ticket and when he returned found that the grip was gone. Police headquarters were notified, but no trace of the missing grip has been secured.

Thousands Honor Judge Evans.

A celebration without parallel in the history of Berwick was that when thousands of people represent every town in the judicial district came to Berwick to honor Judge Charles C. Evans, and rejoice over his election to the president judgeship of the Columbia-Montour district.

Wyalusing's New Constable.

W. H. Allis has been appointed constable of Wyalusing borough to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of N. B. Overton from the district.

The great dollar weekly—Reporter-Journal.

DR. KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY

Pleasant to Take, Powerful to Cure, and Welcome In Every Home.

KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is adapted to all ages and both sexes, affording permanent relief in all cases caused by impurity of the blood, such as Kidney, Bladder and Liver complaints; cures constipation and weaknesses peculiar to women. Brilliantly successful for nearly fifty years; cures where other medicines have totally failed, and has won hosts of warm friends. Send for a free trial bottle and booklet containing valuable medical advice, and an "Easy Test" for discovering Kidney disease. Address Dr. David Kennedy's Sons, Rondout, N. Y.

Remember, the full name is Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y. Price $1.00, or 6 bottles for $5.00, at all druggists.

DEEDS RECORDED.

With Location of Lands, Names of Parties and Considerations.

Sayre Boro.—July 25, 1906. E. D. Adamy to Robert C. and Carolyn Dillmore; lot, $1,300.

Granville Twp.—Nov. 1, 1906. Alden Fleming and wife to Philander Fleming; lots, $600.

West Burlington Twp.—May 11, 1906. David M. Rundell and wife to J. Davis and John D. McKean; 26 acres, $390.

Athens Boro.—July 10, 1906. Job Morley to Mrs. Mary G. Stiles; lot, $1.

Overton Twp.—Aug. 20, 1906. Ornal N. Streevy to C. E. Bartlow; lot, $700.

Towanda Boro.—July 20, 1906. Alonzo T. Searle and wife to George S. Russell ;lot, $1,200.

Towanda Boro.—April 1, 1905. Robert B. Drake and others to T. R. Braund; lot, $120.

Ridgebury Twp.—June 1, 1877. Calvin West and wife to A. J. Campbell; 83 acres, 20 perches, $500.

Ridgebury Twp.—Nov. 3, 1906. Alexander J. Campbell and wife to Samuel Balmer; lot, $100.

Athens Boro.—Nov. 5, 1906. M. P. Murray and wife to Floyd D. Campbell; lot, $1,200.

Athens Boro.—Oct. 3, 1906. Florence I. and Richard Fuller to Harriet Greene and others; lot, $1,000.

Springfield Twp.—Feb. 12, 1904. Carrie Mattocks Califf and Justin E. Califf to Ray A. Mattocks; lots, $1,200.

Canton Twp.—Oct. 31, 1906. H. C. Stone and wife to Helen Fields Biddle; lot, $35.

Canton Twp.—Nov. 1, 1906. Fannie W. Anderson to Helen Fields Biddle; lot, $75.

Sayre Boro.—Oct. 30, 1906. Robert H. Sayre Hose Co., No. 3 of Sayre, to H. D. Angell; lot, $1,800.

Armenia Twp.—Oct. 26, 1906. Olen L. Jackson and wife to Edw. D. Morgan; lot, $650.

Terry Twp.—Nov. 7, 1906. Violetta and George Vanderpool to Peter Vanderpool; 3 acres, $250.

Armenia Twp.—Nov. 3, 1906. B. S. Baranes and wife to Lucinda Jenkins; lot, $1,200.

South Creek Twp.—Nov. 3, 1906. Nancy M. Cole to Emma Goldsmith; lots, $1,600.

Wyalusing Boro.—Feb. 3, 1906. Wyalusing Improvement Co. to Dorothy F. Hill; lot, $1,500.

Wyalusing Boro.—Oct. 24, 1906. Estate of William M. Patton to Dorothy Hill; lot, $122.

FIRE AT NEATH.

The Store of H. T. Jones With Contents Entirely Destroyed.

On Wednesday, Nov. 7, the store of H. T. Jones of Neath, Pike township, was burned to the ground.

Like all country stores, the people of the neighborhood had congregated there during the evening and about 10 o'clock departed for their homes. After their departure Mr. Jones closed the store and went upstairs, he occupying the second story living rooms. About 11:30 he was awakened by a cat, and went to the foot of the stairs. Opening the door he discovered that the room was full of smoke, and a large fire was burning in the center of it. The fire had gained so much headway that it was impossible to put it out, and in a few moments the entire structure was in flames.

The building was owned by Guy and Albert oberts, and was built a few years ago upon the site of the store burned there about eight years ago. There was an insurance of $1,500 on the building and a small insurance on the contents. The loss is estimated to beabout $5,000.

RUMMERFIELD.

James Lyke of Towanda, visited at William Vanness' Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

A. Clagett made a trip to Towanda last Tuesday.

Marlon H. Smith attended the funeral of his uncle, T. B. Smith, at Ulster, Saturday.

The funeral of Mrs. Welliver at the M. E. church last Wednesday was largely attended. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community.

Master Roy Lyke of Towanda, spent Saturday and Sunday with his cousin, Dwight Vanness.

Mrs. John Moon and aughter went to Towanda Friday.

William Vanness made a trip to Towanda Monday.

Frank Sage is sick.

Mrs Marshall's mother visited her here last week.

A. P. Schoonover visited the county seat Friday.

Harry Taylor of Sayre, visited friends here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vanness and William Clagett visited at W. T. Mitten's, Vaughn Hill, Sunday.

Mrs. Lacey Clark was calling on friends in Towanda Saturday.

Dr. Stevens of Herrick, made a professional call in this place one day last week.

LITCHFIELD.

Rev. E. B. Palmer, who has been laid up through the accident he sustained, has recovered sufficiently to preach next Sunday and will occupy the pulpit at Litchfield at 10:30 o'clock in the morning and at Windham Summit at 2 in the afternoon, and at Mt. Pleasant at 7:30 p. m.

On account of the bad weather, there was no preaching last Sunday.

The many friends of William Baxter, who has been in bad health for some time past, will be pleased to know that he is improved.

After a few weeks' visit with friends in New York city, Mrs. George Baxter has returned to her home.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Palmer made a business trip to Nichols on Monday last.

Buyers read the Reporter-Journal.

Have You A Cold Room?

In most houses there is a room without proper heating facilities—to say nothing of chilly hallways. Even though the heat of your stoves or furnace should be inadequate to warm the whole house there need not be one cold spot if you have a

PERFECTION Oil Heater

(Equipped with Smokeless Device)

It will heat a room in no time and will *keep* it warm and cozy. Operated as easily as a lamp and perfectly safe. Wick cannot be turned too high or too low. Gives no smoke or smell because fitted with unique smokeless device. Can be carried about, which cannot be done with an ordinary stove. The Perfection Oil Heater is superior to all other oil heaters and is an ornament to any home. Made in two finishes—nickel and japan. Brass oil fount beautifully embossed. Holds four quarts of oil and burns nine hours. Every heater warranted. If not at your dealer's write nearest agency for descriptive circular.

THE Rayo Lamp is the safest and best all-round household lamp. Made of brass throughout and nickel-plated. Equipped with latest improved burner. Every lamp warranted. An ornament to any room whether library, dining-room, parlor or bedroom. Write to nearest agency if not at your dealer's.

ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY

Registered and Recorded.

The following are recent transactions in the office of Register and Recorder C. F. Dewey: Will of Brewster A. Long, late of Troy, admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to Addie Morse Long and Walter J. Ruggles. Will of I. E. Crofut of township of Granville, admitted to probate. Will of Dimma Ann Harris of Athens township, admitted to probate. Letters of administration upon estate of Lockwod E. Thompson, late of Smithfield township, granted to Frank Phillips. Letters of administration upon estate of Thomas Dolan, late of Standing Stone township, granted to William A. Dolan.

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To advertise our New Patent Minnesota Flour, we will sell a 50 lb. sack for $1.20. This flour is worth $1.40.

Good Lemon Cakes, Ginger Snaps, and Oyster Crackers 6c the lb.

The best Bread made 3½c the loaf.

All kinds of Groceries, Tobacco, Cigars, Etc.

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Ladies' and Men's Fine AND HEAVY Shoes AT RIGHT PRICES,

ALSO MEN'S CALF BOOTS

In Crockery, Glass Ware, Tin Ware, Granite Ware, Lamps, Blocks, Etc., we have a fine line. We are headquarters for Pint Cups, 1c.

10-qt. Pails, 10c.

13-in. Wash Dish, 8c.

COME IN AND LOOK.

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Look for the Red Front.

P. S.—All Watch Work one-half the regular price. Main Springs .50c, Cleaning 50c, Jewels 50c.

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SIX PER CENT. FIRST MORTGAGE Bonds with Stock Bonus on Established Industrial Plant in Pennsylvania, with net income exceeding four timesamount due on interest for bond issue. Address, R. S. VIVIAN, Portland Block, Chicago.

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FOR SALE.

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SMALL fruit farm in Standing Stone, five minutes' walk from depot, fine location; pears, plums, peaches, grapes, currants, berries, etc. Price reasonable. Terms easy. Sarah S. Blair. d3t-w4t*

FARM AT AUCTION. — Tuesday, Nov. 27, 1906, at 2 o'clock sharp. The farm known as the J. J. Newell farm, located between Orwell and Potterville, containing 115 acres, more or less, with house, barn, springwater, orchard and 25 acres of wood land. Terms, $100 cash, $400 Jan. 1, 1907; balance on time. D. B. Jones. 15nov2t

50 ACRE farm; first class buildings and location; good state of cultivation. Five and one-half miles from Troy. Address, Box 44, Canton, Pa. 15novtf

FARMS for sale or rent; one of 70 acres, one of 145 acres, one of 115 acres. They are situated in Rome township, convenient to Rome borough. Apply to George Nichols, Rome, Pa. 8novtf

PROPERTY FOR SALE. The large double house on South Fourth street, known as the Hampson house. It contains all modern improvements and is desirable property. Call on Guy Hollon, Towanda, or write Mrs. R. Hampson, Punxsutawney, Pa. 1martf

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.—The undersigned will sell her farm, situate on the main road between Towanda and Rome, and located about one mile from Myersburg, consisting of 163 acres; under a good state of cultivation. There is a good frame dwelling house, frame barns and tobacco shed and the usual out-buildings thereon. Good orchard and well watered. This farm will be sold for any reasonably fair price, with a small payment down and balance on small payments. For price and terms, write to Mrs. Nancy G. Conklin, 35½ Park Place, Auburn, N. Y., or to William Maxwell, Towanda, Pa.

8nov-tf NANCY CONKLIN.

FOR SALE—Eight years old pair of oxen, Holsteins; well matched, well broke; weight 3,000 lbs. or better; first premium at Towanda fair in 1902-'03-'04. Address, O. O. Pease, R. F. D. No. 31, LeRaysville, Pa. oct4-tf

WILL SELL my farm near Luthers Mills or rent on shares to right party. John Bohlayer, Luthers Mills R. F. D. No. 2, Towanda, Pa. aug9-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP.—320 acres of fine wheat and corn land, seven room house, ith large barn, grain and outhouses, pure water; good drainage, fine pasture. Land lays in Sumner county wheat belt, 2½ miles from railroad, town of Ashton, Kansas. 5 miles west of the celebrated Guda Springs, 12 miles to Arkansas City; 10,000 inhabitants in the gas fields. If sold quick can be bought for $37.50 per acre. Inquire of G. W. Smith, 306 Sedgwick Block, Wichita, Kansas.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, my wife, Minnie Brown, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby forbid all persons from trusting or harboring her on my account.

LEWIS BROWN,
s13dec* Wysox, Pa.

NOV. 22, 1906. I hereby give notice that after this day and date I will pay no debts contracted by John Chase, either in his own name or my name.

T. D. MAHONEY,
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